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FOR NEXT GOVERNOR OF PENNSYLVANIA,

ADJT. GEN. D. H. HASTINGS,

Subject to the decision of the Republican State Convention

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

FOR STATE TREASURER,

HON. HENRY K. BOYER,

of Philadelphia.

EDITORIAL BRIEFS

REPUBLICAN prospects were never better.

STANLEY is approaching nearer the coast.

THE President's trip to Bar Harbor was one continuous ovation.

A QUANTITY of the elixir of life should be given to the Democratic party.

A BASE ball pitcher in Honolulu won the day by pitching dynamite balls into the enemy's camp.

THE Hungarians at Scottdale are among the worst of the striking miners. They caused a great riot last Friday.

EMMA ABBOTT, the opera singer, has a $4,000 dress to sing in next season. It will make her voice 50 per. cent sweeter.

TUESDAY'S convention made it evident that the Democratic party of Centre county needs a large dose of the elixir of life.

THE populace of Liverpool were indignant at the Judge who sentenced Mrs. Maybrick, who was found guilty of poisoning her husband.

GEN. HENRY DUPONT, who was at the head of the famous DuPont powder manufactory in Wilmington, Delaware, died on Thursday last.

THERE is an African prince now in Boston who talked to Explorer Stanley last November. He says that Stanley was then in fine health.

THE latest reported duel between two specimens of Southeastern "chivalry" was a bloodless and ridiculous affair. But it was just as criminal for all that.

THIS is a great country. While the East has been fairly saturated during the spring and summer, Dakota people are longing for deliverance from a protracted dry spell.

DR. W. H. BRADLEY, managing editor of the weekly *Press*, is accused of embezzling $5,000 from that paper. We know the Doctor and are sorry if indeed the charge is true.

J. FRANK COLLOM, a Minneapolis lawyer, is the boss forger. There are 112 forged notes now in circulation in that city of which he was the author. His thefts amount to $250,000.

GOVERNOR LOWRY is not going to stop half way in the good work. He proposes to keep on until he has secured the whole crowd of the principals in the recent alleged prize fight in Mississippi.

IF the condemned American woman, Mrs. Maybrick, finally meets death at the hands of the hangman, it will not be for lack of earnest efforts to save her. The way in which the British public have taken up her cause is something unparalleled.

IT now looks as if Mr. Bigler was going to be compelled to make the campaign as the Democratic nominee for State Treasurer, in spite of his unequivocal declaration that he did not want and would not have the nomination. Good timber for candidates appears to be scarce with our friends of the opposition this year.

AN Altoona paper says: "From the best sources of information, we are led to believe that the miners and cokers of the Cambria, Clearfield and Jefferson districts who have been out on strike will soon go to work again. It is claimed by the operators that most of the idle mines and coke works have already resumed."

JUST as people were beginning to think the absence of news from Stanely was ominous again, the distinguished African explorer turns up. This time he is reported to be marching down the coast with nine thousand men and an enormous quantity of ivory. No matter what turns up he holds on to that ivory, which shows that he has a keen eye to business as well as making discoveries.

THE REPUBLICAN PLATFORM.

The Republican State Convention in Harrisburg on Wednesday, the 7th, adopted a platform of party principles, which we print in full below and which should be carefully read by all:

The doctrines enunciated at Chicago in 1888 by the national republican party received the endorsement of the people at the polls in the following November. Upon them the Keystone state set the seal of her approval by 80,000 majority. With renewed emphasis we reaffirm those cardinal principles, and again submit them to the electors of Pennsylvania for their approbation.

We greatly rejoice in the national victory of 1888 for a two-fold reason; first, because it was fought and won under Pennsylvania leadership and upon a Pennsylvania platform, and, second, because the executive and legislative power in the union has thereby been restored to the republican party, which, within a period of less than thirty years, has rescued the country from the perils of rebellion, of treacherous reconstruction, of financial dishonor and of reckless industrial legislation. All of which were distinctly involved in the policy or acts of the democratic party as now governed.

The republicans of Pennsylvania claim especial recognition for the reason that in the hour of its extremity they furnished to the national republican organization a chairman, who, during all the anxious days of the recent national campaign, in co-operation with the honored representatives of other states, so controlled the forces at hand as to compel victory. The thanks of the republicans of this commonwealth are due and are hereby tendered to the Hon. Matthew S. Quay for the honorable, able and masterful way in which he conducted that campaign.

We cordially endorse the administration of President Benjamin Harrison, because it steadily devotes itself to the work of broad and intelligent administration by competent and trusty officials and makes its rule of inflexible duty the faithful observance, not the hypocritical evasion of the public statutes; because it proposes honestly to collect and honestly to disburse the proceeds of public taxation, and seeks so to adjust the burdens thereof that those persons and interests able to bear most shall bear least, and that in all cases the vexation shall be first reduced and abolished; because it is pledged to give to suffering communities needed help in the necessary work of public education in order that thereby the citizenship of the whole country may be elevated; because it aims to secure by adequate legislation protection against the offenses of suppressed and miscounted ballots, of perverted returns and false certificates of election and of murderous methods of maintaining the insufferable wrongs which now stain the records of southern states and touch the honor of the southern people, making of elections in most of them a fraud or farce, whose fruits are a large body of democratic usurpers now assuming to represent those states in the legislative halls of the nation; and because, more than all else, it makes as its cardinal aim in foreign affairs the vindication of the rights of America, and the defense of the honor, safety and dignity of all Americans; and in domestic affairs, the development of our own resources, the advancement of our own industries and the upbuilding of the labor of our own people. Against all which the democratic party stands as an ever present danger and menace.

Protection is the corner-stone of our political faith. Its greatest blessing is that in protecting the American laborer and manufacturer, it strengthens and builds up all interests, resulting in the promotion of a great diversity of business enterprises and a home market. It therefore nurtures not only the interests, primarily and protected, but all interests, particularly agriculture, which finds in the certainty and higher prizes of a home market its great advantage. Pennsylvania democrats have until recently claimed the unique distinction of being democratic protectionists. At last, however, the controlling element in that party, not only in the nation, but state, has unequivocally announced its antagonism to protection. It is our duty to take advantage of this opportunity and press home its living issue. We thereby deal democracy its death blow in Pennsylvania.

If protection to American industry be the corner-stone of our political faith, then protection to those who fought in defense of the union is its cap-stone. We reverence the memory of those intrepid martyrs who gave up their lives upon the field of battle, and of those other heroes, burdened with years and covered with scars, who have since gone to their rest. But tears will not suffice for the tens of thousands of brave soldiers who still survive. We advocate such amendments to the pension laws as will make adequate provision for all honorably discharged veterans of the late war, whose advancing years, wounds or other infirmities, disable them from total or partial self-support. Those who saved the nation from dissolution should be saved by the nation from penury, and we heartily commend the wise and and friendly liability shown by Commissioner Tanner to his brother soldiers in the conscientious discharge of the duties of his office.

The republican party having in 1886 declared in favor of the submission of the question of the prohibition of the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors to a vote of the people, and having, in two successive legislatures, through the method ordained by the constitution, and in spite of democratic opposition, provided the machinery for reaching a fair expression of the public sentiment, and the vote to secure which it was pledged, having been taken, declares that it has fully and honorably fulfilled its compact in this regard.

In view of the result of said election, and having regard for the preservation of the purity of the homes of our commonwealth, we heartily endorse the Brooks high license law and recommend such amendments thereto as will tend to its proper and progressive improvement and also bring within its scope the control of wholesale licenses.

We endorse the action of the last legislature in providing for the appointment of commissions to revise and consolidate the laws relating to the construction and improvement of the public highways of this commonwealth, and to consider the subject of local taxation, with a view to a reasonable and just equalization thereof. These are questions of vital concern to the people of Pennsylvania, particularly to those engaged in agricultural pursuits, and should, as they doubtless will, receive careful and intelligent consideration from the respective legislative commissions.

The administration of Governor Beaver continues to merit the confidence and approval of the republicans of Pennsylvania. From its inception it has been able, dignified and clean in every department, and deserves the continued respect and approval of the citizens of the commonwealth.

The catastrophe which has recently visited Johnstown and other sections of the state, and touched the heart of all forms of civilization on the face of the earth, appeals especially to the sympathies of the people of this commonwealth who have witnessed with thankful hearts the generosity of all nations. We urge that the next legislature take such constitutional action as will best provide permanent relief for the stricken sections.

The death of General Simon Cameron, for sixty years a conspicious son of Pennsylvania and for much of that time in the honored discharge of important public functions, state and national, executive and legislative, is a great public loss which properly demands of this convention an earnest expression of their deep sorrow, and that they should testify their admiration and veneration for his career and character.

THE Philadelphia *Times*, which don't often say anything complimentary of Republicans, has this about the gentleman who is the candidate of the Republican party for State Treasurer: Mr. BOYER is a highly creditable candidate for State Treasurer. He is a young man, but he is old enough for first class official work, and he proved his ability, integrity and discretion both on the floor and in the Speaker's chair of the House. He is a thoroughly clean man in public and private; he is creditable in ability and possesses quite sufficient individuality to keep himself and his office above the reach of mean ambition or dishonest greed. He is certainly as strong as any man the party could have presented, and his election may be regarded as more than probable.

IT is said that little Greece is endeavoring to kick up a big international row over alleged Turkish atrocities in Crete, when there really have been no atrocites committed there. Whatever Turkey has done there has been in the line of suppressing revolt stirred up from without, and stirred up with the express purpose of getting Turkey into a fresh complication. While Greece is said to be fairly spoiling for a fight with her old enemy, it is well-known that her valor is so largely tempered with discretion that nothing is likely to come of the affair.

THE SOUTHERN PROBLEM.

One of the most important and most difficult questions of the day is the Southern problem. In some way the republican party must solve it. The great desideratum is to know the best method of solution. The primitive one of stationing troops throughout the South was given up under Hayes' administration, and very few are in favor of resuming it. Some now propose one plan, and others another. Some even contend that there is no occasion for any plan whatever, and that the elections are as fair in the South as in the North. In the face of the admissions of numerous prominent Southern leaders, and the long articles in the *North American Review* and other magazines, by Senator Colquitt and some time ago by Wade Hampton, in the nature of pleas of confession and avoidance, not even attempting to deny that the colored vote was suppressed, but seeking only to justify and excuse themselves because of the crimes of the carpet baggers, it is needless to bring forward any proof of the neglect and defiance of the Fifteenth Amendment in the South. It may be taken for granted. The only thing for us to consider is the remedy.

There have been several bills introduced into Congress designed to dispose of this matter. The agitation of the question is constantly kept up by Senator Chandler, and other republicans, who are, what the Democrats call, rabid on the subject. None of them, however, seems to command any wide support. Each has his own specific, and, as often happens, while the doctors disagree, the patient dies. While the congressional leaders are disputing over the best means of freeing the South from the tyranny of the Bourbon aristocracy, the colored voter is left unprotected, deprived of his rights, and powerless to seek redress.

Since none of the schemes advocated by the various congressmen is likely to succeed, it may be well to see what remedy is furnished by existing laws. The second section of the Fourteenth Amendment to the Constitution was intended to meet such a state of affairs as at present perplexes us. It was proposed by Salmon P. Chase, whom Lincoln characterized "as equal to one and a half of all the great men of America," and is an instance of his prophetic genius. It provides in brief that: "When the right to vote at any election in any state is denied to any of the male citizens of the United States, etc., or *in any way abridged*, the basis of representation therein shall be reduced in the proportion which the number of such male citizens shall bear to the whole number of male citizens twenty one years of age in such state."

Various objections have been made to proceeding under this section to remedy the suppression of the colored vote. It is contended that it only applies to the actions of a state in its governmental capacity, and that the fraudulent returns of the Southern election judges are not under its operation. The Supreme Court has not yet directly ruled on this. The decisions in the Civil Rights Case 109 U. S. 3, and in Virginia v. Rives 100 U. S. 313, were explicitly under the first section of the Fourteenth Amendment. The interpretation of the second section is still an open question. It seems that the clause: "or in any way abidged," is distinctly applicable to the present circumstances. The returning boards are state officials. If they fail to do their duty in presidential or congressional elections, the federal government clearly has power, under this section, to punish the state, which refuses to provide other and proper means for counting the vote, by reducing its representation in congress and the electoral college. Not to return votes that have been legally cast is certainly an *abridgement* of the right of suffrage of those who have voted. Besides the plain meaning of the words, Chief Justice Chase's diary is at hand, and in it we read that when he drew up this amendment, he designed it to cover all possible efforts of the Southern leaders to prevent their former slaves from exercising the highest privilege of free men.

This is the proper remedy for the situation at the South. It is a far better and more effective one than that of federal election boards as proposed by Senator Chandler, or garrisoning the Southern states with Northern soldiers as some exceedingly bitter republicans desire to do. When the next apportionment is made will be the time to carry it into effect. The results of it could not help but be beneficial. The negro would cease to be persecuted when his tyrants no longer had anything to gain by such a policy. Soon the increase of wealth and the spread of education will enable him to cope with his former master on equal terms. In the meantime, we in the North would not be in danger of falling under the control of a fraudulent democratic majority. We would not have to bend the knee to the Southern aristocracy. The democrats may be willing to be used as catspaws by the rich planters at the South, but we republicans have nothing to gain and everything to lose by attempting to please them. We need not be afraid of them now any more than we were a quarter of a century ago. Since, as they proudly boast, the Southern states are 'white men's governments,' let them have a "white men's" representation in Congress. The Southerners are strict constructionists and sticklers for constitutional rights. By all means, let them have their rights under the constitution, but *no more*. S.

ACTION OF A SUNDAY-SCHOOL.

A friend of this paper in Williamsport who admires its course in endeavoring to maintain the sanctity of the Sabbath day, sends us, for publication, the resolutions recently adopted by one of the Sunday-schools of that city. We are glad to read the resolutions and would precede the publication of them with the explanation that it has always been quite inexplicable to us why anyone calling themselves Christian should countenance or have anything to do with Sunday newspapers. Here are the resolutions:

WHEREAS, We the St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday school teachers have noticed that the desecration of the Sabbath is alarmingly on the increase and has become an element of danger to the Christian religion, especially as manifested in the sale of Sunday newspapers, and the open postoffice; and

WHEREAS, The youth of our city are growing up with loose ideas regarding the sanctity of God's holy day; looking upon it as a day for legitimate trade instead of one in which Scriptural truths may be learned, the heart drawn nearer to its Creator and made better acquainted with the Saviour; and

WHEREAS, We deplore the apparent apathy of the church membership in its work for the Master among the young; therefore

Resolved, That we discountenance the sale of Sunday newspaper; the handling of mail; the open place of business and the pleasure excursions on the Sabbath day.

Resolved, That we will, both by precept and example, observe the Lord's day as a day of rest.

The Associate Judgeship.

We are informed that Mr. Reily, of Boalsburg, the gentleman nominated by the Democrats for Associate Judge, is what is commonly denominated a "whiskey man;" that is, that he does not believe in restrictions to the liquor business and would advocate the granting of licenses by the Court, without any effort to reduce or limit the number. This would undo all the good work that has been done and would place a whiskey shop in every part of the county, as only he and one other member of the Court would be necessary to effect such a result. This would be a lamentable result in a county which has spoken so loudly as this county has for temperance. It renders it all the more necessary that the Republicans shall nominate a temperance man—one who will carry out the will of the people. The work of the Court on this question in the past has been good. Let there be no backward step taken, and let the people, this fall, vote in a way that will show the Court what is their will on this question. In Rev. D. M. Wolf, of Spring Mills, the people would find a man to answer every condition. Perhaps equally excellent would be Squire Wm. Thompson, of College township. We are not so well acquainted with Mr. Thompson, whose name we have authority to announce for this nomination, but we are assured that he is a true Republican and a genuine temperance man. Hence there need be no mistake in the selection of a candidate.

SOUTH and Central America imported last year $450,000,000 worth of goods from other countries. Of this amount we of the United States, their nearest neighbors, furnished $49,000,000, or about 11 per cent., the remaining $401,000,000 having been brought from England, France and Germany. There will be an abundance of good work for Mr. Andrew Carnegie and his fellow delegates to the Congress of American Nations at Washington City next October

GENERAL NOTES.

Harvest hands in Oregon demand $3 a day and board.

Utah has a colony composed of natives of the Hawaiian Island.

Southern California is figuring on a honey crop of 2,000,000 pounds this season.

An electric motor has been applied in Chicago for running brushes used in grooming horses.

There is a man in Hart county, Ga., who spells his entire name with two letters, Bob Bobo.

A company is about to engage in the manufacture of bagging from pine fibre at Wilmington, N. C.

Four million pounds a day will be the capacity of Claus Spreckles' new Philadelphia sugar refinery.

A recent census taken by French Consuls shows that only 408,000 Frenchmen are residing abroad.

It is reported that foreign scientists have discovered minute diamonds in meteorites found in Siberia.

MRS. Elizabeth Lang, the wife of a Brooklyn tailor, is the mother of 15 children, all of whom are living.

A bluff near Big Meadows, Cal., is said to be alive with bees that have filled every crevice with honey.

Under the new Scheffer law in Minneapolis, which makes drunkenness a crime, a woman was the first sentenced to jail.

During a recent storm "a stone weighing 11 pounds dropped from the clouds into the yard of a farmer living near Essex, Iowa."

They are trying to acclimatize the Connecticut oysters at several places on the coast of Sweden. So far they have done very well.

The agent of the Broome county, N. Y., Bible Society has discovered that there are 124 families in that county who do not possess a Bible.

Two girls in Dover, Del., gave a butcher a wheelbarrow ride through the principal streets the other day. They had made a bet and lost.

Susanville, Nev., boasts a citizen who has been sunstruck, struck by lightning, frozen until he lost consciousness, and yet is as "hearty as ever."

Suicide among German officers increases shockingly. During May twenty-three shot themselves, and the number for June was larger still.

A ball of fire that exploded with a loud report when within a few feet of the ground is reported to have fallen in Bridgeport, Conn., last week.

An English gentleman has discovered a method of preventing rabies in dogs. Give them a vegetarian diet, with unlimited cherries and strawberries.

The Newport cottagers, in their fight against the street railway there, set up the claim in their bill in equity that they own to the middle of the street.

Pasadena, Cal., has a Democratic postmaster who is so popular that over 400 Republicans have signed a petition requesting that he be retained until the expiration of his term.

Mrs. R L Henry walked into her yard at the Rutherford place, near Macon, Ga., and found her child charmed by a snake. She killed the reptile just as it was about to strike the child.

A gooseberry bush, growing out of the side of a maple tree, 22 feet from the ground, was a big sight seen in Johnsbury, Vt., when a tree was felled in the Court House yard the other day.

Captain Charles D Grant, of the schooner Lizzie May, recently brought into Portland the largest swordfish taken on the coast of Maine this season. After being dressed it tipped the scales at 500 pounds.

Mr. C M Lane, of Oakdale, Me., picked a number of sprays of apple blossoms on his trees last week. They were as beautiful and as fragrant as though they were not several months behind hand in their appearance.

A little boy of only about 9 years arrived in Pomona, Cal., a few days ago, after having made a journey of over 6,000 miles from Lincolnshire, England, entirely alone. He had a tag fastened to his clothes and $200 in his pockets.

It is claimed the relations of China and the United States are already under heavy strain, owing to the extreme latitude taken by our Government in the interpretation and application of treaty obligations. As a result of this our trade with the Celestial Empire has suffered severely, and is likely to fall off still more heavily unless steps are taken soon to set us straight with the Mongolians.

THE terrific fall and probable death of an aeronaut who was attempting to perform the foolhardy feat of descending from a balloon in mid air by means of a parachute at the Mount Holly Fair Grounds in North Carolina on Sunday, ought to act as a check to the useless and dangerous practice of making parachute descents from great heights.

THE Democrats have made their nomination. Now, let the Republicans nominate better men and men who will themselves be a host of strength.

Poetry.

THE EDITOR'S VACATION.

Where shall we spend the summer,
At the mountains, or by the sea?
Where the rustling forests murmur;
Or the salt winds whistle by.

Shall we visit famed Bar Harbor
Or the hotels at Cape May?
Shall we camp in the Adirondacks,
Or go sailing on Newport Bay?

Europe will be so crowded
This year, and we'll leave that out
And the Sulphur Springs are passe,
And Chatauqua is too devout.

So as yet we are undecided
Which way we shall choose to roam;
But unless our finances brighten,
We shall probably stay at home.
Somerville Journal.

RIPE FRUIT.

'The fruit is ripe,' her letter said,
"Come out and try our berries!"
I dreamed of lips so full and red,
And riper far than cherries.

She made the peony bow its head
In shame when she went by;
Her blushing cheeks were scarlet red,
And love lurked in her eye.

My every thought on her was bent,
I longed to press my suit;
And so this message back I sent;
"I'm coming for the fruit!"

On wings of love I swiftly flew,
I saw her standing there;
And in her garden never grew
A rosebud half so fair!

"The fruit!" she said; I felt compelled
To stop her with a kiss!
I swear no orchard ever held
A sweeter fruit than this!

IN THE DARK.

When I kissed her that night in the hallway,
'Twas so dark that nothing was plain;
And not being sure but I'd missed her,
Why 'twas right I should kiss her again.

There was darkness on everything round us,
I was reaching in vain for the door,
And the while I was seeking an exit
It so happened I kissed her some more.

And I wasn't quite sure as I left her,
As to whether she liked it or not;
But I know that I sighed to be back there
The farther away that I got.

And the next time I called it so happened
That I stood in that hallway once more;
And the gas-light fell over and round us,
As I quietly moved to the door.

But her red cheeks so rogishly dimpled,
And her eyes shone so wickedly bright,
That I guessed where her thoughts were a-straying,
And I reached up and turned out the light.
—*Arthur Stevens*

A MISHAP.

I thought it was Kate; how came you here,
Nell?
And how could I wait?
I thought it was Krte.
The moonlight is faulty, I hope you won't tell,
I really am sorry; pray, pardon me, Nell.
Don't berate.

I thought it was Kate; you're sure you won't tell?
Then this is for you,
And this, and this, too.
Let the moonlight be faulty. Quite sure you won't tell?
Great heavens! Am I wrong? Is'nt it Nell?
It was Kate!

P. S.—And since the mishap the two have not spoken.
'Twas announced the next day the engagement was broken.

Our Story Teller.

MYSTERY OF STANLEY RANGE.

A year or more ago, just opposite the house where I was stopping in one of the suburbs of a large city, there was a deserted homestead, with a dingy bill in one window, and the remains of another upon the wood work of the door, containing the usual notice, "To Let."

The house had long been untenanted, and no one seemed to dream that it ever again would be occupied. Certainly the neighborhood was most respectable, and in striking contrast with this unfortunate dwelling. What was the matter? I often queried with myself, as my gaze was powerfully attracted to the place, not because I ever saw any person venture within its mystic walls, but in the innocence of childhood, a merry little group, small specimens of humanity in dirt and rags, had singled out this deserted spot as a special site in which to exhibit their work of art, laying in a claim to at least the outside as their inviolable possession, as with pieces of chalk, or slate they scratched most uncouth figures upon the doors, and even as high as they could reach, upon the lintels, while, with mud from the gutter, they made dirt piers, leaving the remnants to accumulate on the dingy sill, and, as boy ,who were among them always do—that large company of rebels—sent a plentiful supply of stones through the sashes, admitting timid rays of sunshine that had long been denied entrance through the dusty and begrimed panes.

But *I* am digressing, though giving you but the outcome of my sight seeing, as I so often sat at my window and mused upon it all, longing with an intense desire, as a true descendant of Eve, to know somewhat of the history of that ill-fated building that had come to be so shunned, and left, so far as occupation went, to its strange destiny.

It is easy to color such a life as mine is here with a tinge of romance, even though I had always lived in the city, where so many strange things occur, and where nothing is apt to strike one as usual. There was a particular romance to me about this country house—I must know more! But how? Not a soul could gratify my steadily growing curiosity. No one knew aught but that some indefinable mystery rested over its portal, and, like the plague, it was most persistently shunned.

I often thought it had the look of a house well riddled by the lawyers, or ghosts—for they always seem to make choice of the most out of the way and uncomfortable habitations, those "apostles of spectres," who often bring scandal upon the world of spirits themselves.

But there is surely an unslumbering Providence that sometimes rewards even the inquisitive, and I was destined at length to be gratified.

It happened on this wise: One evening on a visit of the old rector to our house, when all other rural topics were exhausted, the rickety house across the way came into line of thought. There are times when "naught is everything, and everything is naught," but here was a real, substantial explanation, which is too good to be lost.

'I was sent for one night,' he said 'by the inmates of that house, Stanley, Range, as it was called in the neighborhood, where I found Mrs. Stanley, and her daughter Beatrie, in a very unusual state of excitement and distress.

''Oh, doctor,' Mrs. Stanley said, as soon as I entered, 'we have suffered so from a frightful visitation in the night!' She turned visibly cold as she spoke 'It was last Wednesday two weeks that I woke up in the middle of the night, or rather near morning, just as it was getting light, and I saw—'

'She choked, and stopped.

''Well,' said I, what did you see?'

''Just at the bottom of my bed such a hideous face, all the while making grimaces at me!'

''A face?' I inquired.

''Yes, a veritable face!'

''What did you have for supper, madam?' I asked.

''Oh, it wasn't nightmare, doctor! if you believe so, you were never more mistaken in your life. Reality is not nightmare. Five times I have seen that ghastly face already. It comes in all sorts of shapes. Sometimes in the form of an old woman, sometimes like a small child, and then like a big black ram, strutting on his hind legs and with a pair of eyes, like the face of the evil one; as I could imagine it.'

''Do you ever hear this apparition come and go?' I inquired.

''No; but whatever time I wake I find it there, and there is never a door or window that I know to be open.'

'Have you told your daughter?'

'For many nights I kept it from her. She is nervous, you know, at best.'

'Yes, madam, our nerves play said havoc with us all, at times,' I said.

'I was, indeed, inclined to make light of the whole thing, until Mrs. Stanley's silvered head was bowed on the mantel, where she wept like a child, and even then, this seemed but the effect of extreme nervousness to me.

'As I look back now, however, I think no martyr ever tried to be more courageous than this timid, trembling woman, a prey to so many fears. Old age was creeping on, her small stock of strength diminishing and the little spirit she naturally possessed failing now. Alone she had borne the terror, that Beatrice should not suffer as she had done, but one morning the girl accidentally saw the same sight, which burned in upon her brain, like a hot iron. She was a girl of pluck, though, when pluck was needed, and with poker and shovel started in quick pursuit, as she thought she saw the object moving indistinctly in the gray dawn; but the head nodded and disappeared, and she went back to bed again, believing it to be only an optical illusion, and, as youth is very apt to, slept soundly once more.

'This went on for a couple of weeks, with only one or two intervals, the thing, whatever it was, never harming them, nor was it known to speak but once; 'I come to look at your pretty face.' This was all it ever said. Was it Beatrice it meant? She was now not more than eighteen years of age, with soft, fair hair, refined, delicate features, and graceful figure; she was singularly attractive to everybody.

'What were they to do? Again and again she begged her mother to leave the house. But where should they go? With a small income they could not do as they would, and they had no alternative but to stay, and, if possible, live the terror down.

'But there came an hour of explanation, and this was stranger than all the nightly visits of the ghostly intruder.

'Meeting Mrs. Stanley and Beatrice on the corner of the street a few nights after, I walked down toward the market, and there, at the door of a blacksmith shop just opposite, stood a half-witted man in working attire, weak-witted and brawny, whose way seemed to have been through the wild places of low life.

'See, see!, Mrs. Stanley whispered excitedly. 'The very face of our nightly visitor! Look what a stunted figure, hideous face; and what dingy hands! There can be no mistake, it is he!'

'He,' I said to her; 'that half-witted idiot? Why, he is the blacksmith's son. You must be mistaken. What could he be doing in your house, or how did he get in?'

'I spoke to him as I came up. With silly cunning he told me that it was a cozy place, and he could look at the young lady as much as he liked, and when he was hungry he could get a bite down below, but he would not reveal to me the manner of his entrance.

'After awhile, however, there came circumstantial evidence to prove that he gained admittance through a small trap door leading from the cellar, quite hidden from sight. There, night after night he came, and lying down on the ground, pushing himself in through the small opening. This only could have been done when the fuel was low, which happened to be the case at this time. The door was nailed up without delay, you may be sure, and henceforth the slumberers were left undisturbed.'

The old rector was relieved as much as they, he confessed, while he praised the courage and fortitude of both Mrs. Stanley and Beatrice, who, though in her teens, has really grown old in the contest.

'No wonder that the idiot, Joe, had become crazy over her youthful charms in his admiring gaze and disappointed hope,' our informant said, as he finished. 'But he has long ago gone to a world where the weak and the strong are neither neglected nor forgotten'

'And what of the former occupants of the old house?' we asked in a breath.

He could not tell us, except the rumor that Mrs. Stanley, at an advanced age, was living in the far West with her daughter, who had married, some years ago, a wealthy lawyer there.

The tale of the past, no doubt, by them has long been forgotten, but for us who dwelt near the spot, it had left its impress, and the mansion if not in reality a haunted house, seemed to be a very illfated one.

Newspaper Wails.

Another kind of Halo.—'A telephone girl always reminds me of a pictured saint.'

'Why?'

'There is a continual hello!' around her head.'

The baseball slave market is quoted fairly active. The latest transaction is the sale of Sowders by Boston to Pittsburg. Terms private.

'Why, Blinkins, that suit looks as if it was made for a man half your size.'

'Yes, I know, but I am going to a seaside hotel to-morrow for a week, and I want it to fit me when I come home.

Force of Habit:—Customer—'How much time do you give me?' Tailor—None, sir. I never give any credit.' Customer—'How's that?' Tailor—'Until recently I was editor of a religious weekly.'

Never Judge by Appearances:—Brown—'Business must be slack when you spend your time catching flies?' Druggist—'Come and help me catch some. I want them to put on a sheet of fly paper I'm advertising in the window.

'I called sir,' said old Jinks to the tailor, 'in reference to the letter you sent about the way my son had treated you. I guess you will find him all right in the future, because he has promised me to settle down.' 'That doesn't interest me,' replied the tailor, 'I want him to settle up.'

Just Once:—Judge—'You are charged with breaking up a meeting and striking this woman. What have you to say?' Prisoner—'It was this way, Judge. It was a Spitualistic meeting, and this woman was the medium, when she exclaimed: 'I am happy!' I could not resist the temptation to strike a happy medium just once in my life.

When Minister Lincoln and Russell Harrison dined with Queen Victoria the other day her Majesty neglected to apologize for the heaviness of her biscuit and the lack of brevity in her pies, adding that her cook left the day before. She must have been so "flustering" at having distinguished guests at dinner that she forgot it.

Some of Dr. Brown-Sequard's 'Elixir of Life" was recently injected into the bodies of "three weak, worn, emaciated and melancholy paupers, aged respectively 54, 56 and 68 years,' and 'immediately they became strong, fresh and cheerful, took new views of life, and altogether felt as if they had received a new lease of existence.' It is understood that the greenback party in this country has ordered seven barrels of the stuff, but for what purpose is not known.

Some men are born great, some achieve greatness, and some can curve a ball.

James Leonard, a compositor on the *Times-Democrat*, of New Orleans, lately, in seven days of seven and one half hours each, set and distributed 102,800 ems.

It would be a good idea to have some of these big Atlantic steamers act as detectives on the Cronin case. They do run down something every once in a while.

"That's a pretty pocket-book you have. Where did you get it?' "A present from my wife." "Anything in it?" "Of course. The unpaid bill for the same."

"You wish to marry one of my daughters. The youngest will get 15,000 marks, the second 30,000 and the oldest 45,000." "You don't happen to have one still older?"

MOUNTAINS OF PURE SALT.

One of the Wonders of Nature that Fringe the Great Colorado River.

San Francisco Chronicle.

Captain J A Medon, one of the oldest white settlers of Fort Yuma, Ari., who lived in Yuma two years without seeing a white woman and who commanded the first steamer, the Fila, that ever went up the Colorado River to the mouth of the Virgin, is at the Lick House, having arrived last night.

Few pioneers in any land have had the strange experiance of Captain Melon. "I have not," said he, "since I was ten years old, been in an American city of 3,000 people on the Fourth of July. It is over twenty-five years now since I went to Fort Yuma, and the changes I see in San Francisco surprise me.

"Have I been running on the Colorado River all this time? Yes; and let me say that there are stretches of hundreds of miles on that river that are less known than the heart of Central Africa. We go up there to get salt. There are great mountains of salt on the Virgin, which is a tributary of the Colorado, each of which is larger and higher than Goat Island. The salt is pure and white. It is clearer than glass. You may take a piece of it seven or eight inches thick and read a common newspaper through it.

"The salt mountains cover a stretch of about twenty five miles on both sides of the Virgin, seven miles up from the Colorado. A single blast of giant powder will blow up tons upon tons of it. This salt does not dazzle your eyes, as you might expect, while riding along on the river steamer or clambering over it. It has a layer of sandstone from two to eight feet thick over it. When this is torn away the salt lies in full sight, like a great snow drift. How deep it is, nobody knows. This salt is destined to be the source of greath wealth. Hamilton Disston, the big saw manufacturer, and Baldwin, of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, are the only men who have secured any of these salt mountains. When the Utah Southern Railroad is pushed on from Frisco, Utah, it will tap the gigantic salt mountains, and then an enormous revenue will be realized from them.

"I brought down from the mines for the Academy of Sciences here some queer things from the salt mines. Under the cap rock was found charred wood and charcoal, besides some matting made of cedar bark. The salt had preserved it. It might have lain there thousands of years. Evidently there had been a slide that covered up the camp equipage of some prehistoric men. Strange to say, a similar discovery has been made in the salt mines of Louisiana. The rocks up towards the salt mountains are painted and cut into hieroglyphics which none of the Mojave, Yuma, Piute or other Indians know the meaning of.

"There are valleys along the great, but as yet unknown, Colorado, singly as much as one hundred and twenty miles long and twenty wide. That will be the real orange country of the globe. They are as rich as the valleys of the Nile. Irrigation will redeem them. Water will be brought on them as sure as destiny.

"El Dorado Canyon is grander than the Grand Canyon of the Colorado. The tops of the windows in the steamer Gila do not project out more than six inches, yet I may put my head out and look as high as I can and I can't see half way up the mighty walls of the canyon. The river is 350 feet wide there, too. The only way you can see to the top is to get right out on deck and look straight up. The walls are so high that there is perpetual shade there. Neither the sun nor the moon can shine in. It takes ten hours going up to go through the canyon and two hours coming down.

"By the Colorado river and the Virgin you can run clear up into Nevada and Utah. Many people have laughed at me for saying that I was going up into the mountainous Nevada by boat, but that's just what I have been doing right along. Strange as it may seem, and little known as it is, the Colorado has more navigable water without portage than any other river on the Pacific coast. It has 700 miles, while the Columbia has but 350. The Colorado is the only real field for explorers on the North American Continent outside of the frigid North. The wonders that could be unearthed there will yet attract the attention of the great scientists of the world."

The poet who rhymes hail-storm with maelstrom will please consider himself "run through" with a blue pencil.

Paddy (to fellow passenger): "Oi'm siventy years of age, and ivery wan o' my teeth as perfect as the day I was born, sor!"

Miss DeBoy: How does my new tailor make custom fit?" Vinnie Gar (with enthusiasm): "Perfectly, Why, it fits every angle."

Flies are Absent: Miss Boston—Chicago is growing in culture, I learn from the public prints, Miss Wabash. Miss Wabash—You're dead right. When it comes to cult there's no flies on us.

Mary—Mebbe I'm ugly now, mum, but in me day I've broken a great many hearts. Mistress—Well, Mary, if you handled hearts the way you do my best china I believe you.

Force of Habit: Mrs. Jason—"Did, you get very lonely while I was away, dear?" Mr. Jason—"Rather. First two nights I didn't sleep at all. Then I got a couple of frogs and put them in the bed, down at the foot. After that I slept pretty well."

Outcast—"Please, mum, could you help an unfortunate man who was caught in an elevator and laid up for six months?" Old Lady—'Poor man; here's a dollar for you. How did you happen to get caught?" (Pocketing the dollar)—"The police waz too quick for me."

The Little Housekeeper; "Why, my dear child, what is three thousand dollars a year? It wouldn't more than pay for your breakfasts and lunches. The engagement is out of the question." "Well, I'm sure, mother, that is enough. I never care for more than two meals a day, and if we are particularly hungry we can dine out with our friends."

Watson—"What was the largest trout you ever caught, Fly?"

Fly—"Let's see, what day of the week is this, Watson?"

Watson—"Monday, I believe. But what in the world has that to do with my question?"

Fly—"Oh, nothing, only I guess you'd better wait till Wednesday. I always like to get as far as possible from Sunday when I tell about that trout."

He Couldn't Defy Science.—'Madam, I must decline to saw this wood,' said the tramp, throwing down the saw and moving away.

'You have had your dinner. Why do you refuse to saw the wood?'

'When I promised to saw the wood I did not observe the location of your woodpile and saw buck. Doctors tell us we must not work unless the gas or sunlight falls over our left shoulder. Of course you would not expect me to set medical science at defiance. Good day."

Two Irish visitors to the Greatest Show on Earth, after doing the menagerie thoroughly, came to a passage over which was the legend, "Exit." 'Begorra, Pat," said one of them, "we mustn't miss the exit, whatever kind of a baste that is." They followed the index finger on the sign, and all too soon found themselves on the outside of the show and denied the privilege of entering again unless they repaid the price of admission.

First Boomer; 'You fellows have no git up about you at all. Why don't you have photographs of your town taken, like we did? Are you ashamed of it?' Rival Boomer: 'Naw, that ain't the reason at all, I want you to understand young fellah, that our town don't stand still long enough to be photographed.'

"Mistah Johnsing, I think you's suffering wid affection ob de heart. Yo' heart-beats is terrible irregular." "Dat's all right, doctah; but, sah, yo' has yo' ear right 'gin my watch, an' it hain't varied a minit in de las' free months, sah. Wid all respect to you', I guess I'll go ter some other practitioner, sah."

Things Worth Knowing.

Stains on ivory knife handles may be removed with salts of lemon.

Set a small box of lime in the pantry and it will help keep it dry and the air pure.

Ivory black stirred in ordinary shellac varnish makes a brilliant black varnish for iron stoves and fireplaces.

Mosquitoes, flies and gnats may be kept away by sponging the face and hands with elder flower water.

A strong solution of alum, to which has been added a little glycerine and vinegar, is cure for mosquitoes.

When butter is put into the ice chest or refrigerator cover it tight and it will not absorb odors from other contents.

To clean vinegar bottles and cruets crushed egg shells in a little water are as good as shot, besides being healthier and handier.

Two tablespoonfuls of washing soda in a gallon of boiling water makes a good disinfectant for the kitchen sink Pour it in at night when it is still at boiling heat.

Embarrassing.

"Where are you two going?" asked a girl of a youth and maiden who were wandering away from the main group at the picnic.

"Oh, we are going to get some pond lilies."

In a quarter of an hour they were returning.

"What's the matter?" asked the girl who first spoke; 'could'nt you find any pond lilies?"

"No," replied the other young lady unguardedly, "somebody else had the hammock."

And the young man blushed.

An Owl Caught.

Tuesday night Charles Baldwin and Sheriff John Weir put out a lot of set hooks along the banks of the Oconee river, baiting them with birds and pieces of rabbit. The next morning when they went to see what kind of haul they had made they found on one of the hooks baited with a bird a very large owl. The owl had pounced upon the bird, and in trying to fasten in the body of the bird had got caught by the hook; which pierced through the owl's leg.

It Was Explainable.

"Weigh me, please?" said Briggs, as he stepped on the grocers scales.

The man who manipulated the weights looked at him in astonishment. Briggs looked as though he ought to weigh about 120 pounds, but the beam balanced at 202.

"You must have something heavy about your clothes," said the grocer.

"Oh, that's it," rejoined Briggs. "I have my summer's ice bill in my pocket."

—All the *new Woolens* for the coming season now being received—*Liberal discount for cash orders during the dull season.* Our full stock will be the finest we have ever shown—*Prices and a good fit guaranteed.*

MONTGOMERY & Co., Tailors.

A Dispatch From Brussels.

No doubt the readers of our articles on the "Congo Railway Project" will be interested to know how the enterprise progresses. There is a growing interest manifested by the customers of the Eureka Grocery Co., in this scheme to penetrate the dark continent with a railroad, although we have not heard any of them say yet that they would buy any shares.

On August 1st we received a dispatch from Brussels which shed further light upon the subject. The dispatch is as follows:

Eureka Grocery Co.,
Bellefonte, Pa., U. S. A.

BRUSSELS Aug. 1, 1889.—The Congo Railway Company was regularly constituted here on Wednesday. Of the proposed capital of 25,000,000f. the Belgian State has subscribed 10,000,000f. and the founders 5,000,000f. The public subscription will soon be opened simultaneously at Brussels, London and Berlin for 10,000,000f. in twenty thousand 500f. ordinary shares. If you would like an office opened in Bellefonte please let us know. If you could sell a few thousand shares there we could pay you a good thing in stock, and let you in on the ground floor.

It is believed here that it will be impossible for the King of the Belgians to continue his immense pecuniary sacrifices for the benefit of the Congo State, and that the assistance of the Belgian government will soon become necessary in order to conduct the enterprise to a more successful issue.

We have consulted with some of our wealthiest customers in regard to the request, as to whether we should have an office in Bellefonte, and we find them all too much interested in railroads and other projects, here in the United States, to think of investing money so far away.

Our Mr. Smith has opposed any investment in Africa ever since this scheme was proposed to us. He thinks we had better build the new line to connect with the Beech Creek at Mill Hall, and we guess he is right. As to letting us in on the ground floor, he does not think there is much in that, as in his opinion if anyone wants to get on the floor in Africa at present it would be on the ground, as the country is too "blamed hot" for comfort on the roof.

The fact is Smith is purely American in all his ideas: He does not see any good in going away from home to find opportunities to invest money, or do good, and thinks the philanthropist who always looks over the shoulders of his neighbors to do good to some people who live away beyond the setting sun, often do it as much for an excuse to do no good anywhere as anything else. He regards it as a truism not to be disputed that there is work enough at home for all who want to make the world better for their having lived in it.

We have many evils right here that need to be corrected. Our laws are not observed, especially our Sunday laws. Many places of business are run as lively on Sunday as any other day in the week—that is, people say so. We have business enterprises here that languish, that might be built up by a little effort. We have schools that should be endowed (now he is hitting on the Academy, Car Works, Glass Works, etc.) We have new fields that need to be developed, of iron ore and coal.

In fact, there is work to do in every field of science, literature, art and internal commerce, to call forth all our energies. Let us make America the grandest country on the earth; let us make our people the purest and best, the most learned, the most cultured, and let Bellefonte and Centre County be the centre from which all these virtues radiate. Finally let all the people buy their groceries at the Eureka Grocery store, next door to post-office, Bellefonte, Pa., and be happy.

Band Tournament at Atlantic City.

Messrs. Pain & Sons and Thearle & Cooper, proprietors and managers respectively of the great firework spectacle, the Last Days of Pompeii, which is being given in Atlantic City, N. J. this summer, are to give a grand band tournament or contest for the hon professional brass bands of New Jersey, Pennsylvania and Delaware, in their big Amphitheater, Thursday, August 29th. Cash prizes to the amount of $600 and a handsome gold mounted cornet worth $150 will be put up. The railroads will make low rates to the band and those who wish to accompany them and the members of the bands who play in the contest will be entertained for 24 hours in Atlantic City free. This is quite a tempting opportunity for brass bands and their friends to spend a day at the seashore. Other information can be obtained by writing to Pompeii Amphitheater, at Atlantic City, N. J.

Literary.—Miss Ritta: "Aren't you fond of dialect poetry, Mr. Drestbeeph?" Mr. Drestbeeph of the Chicago Browing Society: "Well, James Whitcomb Riley and Eugene Field do very well; but I came across some poems by a fellow named Chaucer the other day and he carries it too far."—*Life.*

Our Food-Dispenser.—What part do you prefer, Mr. Pipegrass?

Chorus of { Mr. Switzer— / Mr. Chubbs— / Mr. Goway — / Mr Holden— } I want a leg.

Our food dispenser—Gents, this ain't no centipede.—*Judge.*

AMBITIOUS WIFE—My dear, all the people in our set are going away for the summer.

Brutal Husband—Good! Then they won't know we're at home.

Chicago Woman: "I want a marriage license. My fiance is too busy to come himself." Clerk of Court (glancing at calandar): "Let me see, this is the 10th, isn't it?" Chicago Woman: "Why, how perfectly absurd of you! This is only my sixth."—*Minneapolis Tribune.*

On one occasion a lady called and presented a check which she wished cashed. She was a perfect stranger to the teller, he said, very politely, "Madam, you will have to bring some one to introduce you before we can cash this check." Drawing herself up quite haughtily, she said, freezingly: "But I do not wish to know you, sir!"

If you have the means, lay in your coal. The days are shortening and winter will be here before you are dreaming of it.

"I grasp the situation," said President Harrison, after listening for half an hour to the man who wanted an office. "That's just the trouble," complained the suppliant. "What I want is for you to let go of the situation so that I can grasp it."—*Chicago News.*

A Dutiful Son.—"John, this is a very bad report you bring me from school." "I know, father, but you know you said if I would bring you a first-class report, you would give me a dollar, and I wanted to save you that expense."—*Fliegende Blatter.*

The Usual Conditions.—Mamma: "Bobby, I notice that your little sister took the smaller apple. Did you let her have her choice, as I told you to?" Bobby: "Yes, I told her she could have the little one or none, and she chose the little one."—*Omaha World.*

A Jersey City policeman having offered his hand to a young lady, which was refused, he arrested her. "What is the charge?" asked the sergeant at the station house, "Resisting an offer, sir." was the reply.

"My dear," said a dying husband, "do you think you will marry again when I am gone?" "I don't know, John," replied the lady with a burst of tears. "I haven't given the matter very much thought as yet."

An experienced shoemaker says that to allow newly made shoes to stand for a week adds double that time to their life.

EDITOR—"Got a man in your town over 100 years old, eh?" Caller—"Yes, sir." Editor—"Saws a cord of wood before breakfast, walks twenty miles a day, and reads the finest print with ease, I suppose?" Caller—"No, sir; he's very infirm and half blind." Editor—"Humph! I guess he can't be over 80."—*New York Weekly.*

DOCTOR (politely, but looking at his watch with visible impatience)—"Pardon me, madam, but my time is not my own. You have given me all your symptoms in sufficient detail, and now perhaps you will kindly—er—ah—"

Husband (not so considerate)—"Maria, he doesn't want to hear your tongue any more. He wants to look at it."—*Chicago Tribune.*

Mrs. Youngbride: "I desire that the servants should be very prompt in their duties while they are in my employ." Mrs. Mooney (seeking the place): "Yis, mum, yez'll foind me so." Mrs. Youngbride: "I should like you to have all the beds made every morning before anybody is up."

Say "Yes."—Miss Kisan: "Oh, Calvert! This is so-o-o-o unexpected." Her Maid: "Excuse me, Miss Mary, but yure mother sint me down t' tell yez that about that matter she wor talking over wid yez this mornin' fer youse t'say "Yes." She said youse would know phat she manes."

A Salary.

With expense paid will come handy to anyone who is now out of employment, especially where no previous experience is required to get the position. If you want a position, see advertisement on page headed, "A Chance to Make Money." 3 t—*

Music Review.

Under this heading the DAILY NEWS will from week to week give a special review of all music—book or sheet—received at this office. This department, it is hoped, will prove beneficial to the publishers of music as the quickest means of bringing before the public their latest productions.

IGN FISHER, Toledo, Ohio.—We have received from Mr. Fisher his latest composition, entitled *Robin's Farewell*, Caprice for the piano. It is a lovely, lively composition and reflects great credit on its author and publisher. Price 40 cents. Address as above.

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GOULD & WOOLLEY, 1416 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.—From the above named house we have received the August number of their publication, via., *The Philadelphia Musical Journal.* This publication was formerly issued by F. A. North & Co., and was considered one of the best musical publications issued. Since the present publishers assumed control of the *Journal* there has been a decided improvement in its appearance and make up, which inspires the belief that the present management is determined to make it *the best* musical journal in the United States. Every issue contains from 16 to 20 pages of choice new music, beside which there are 18 to 24 pages of reading matter pertaining to music, and a goodly number of advertisements of music, musical instruments, etc. The price of *The Journal* is only $1.00, and to all who will subscribe now a Folio of Music, containing more than thirty vocal and instrumental gems will be given Free.

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SCHUMAN'S PETS, is a book of about 100 pages, and contains over thirty peices of easy piano music, embracing a variety of popular schottisches, polkas, waltzes, mazurkas, marches, quadrilles, rondos, etc. The book is compiled and arranged by the eminent composer, A Schuman, and constitutes one of the choicest collection of simple instrumental music, designed for beginners and medium performers, that has been published for this many a year. It is a book that should be in every home where there is an instrument. Price of book, $1.

"GIOJA," (*Hours of Golden Joy*), by Anton Strelezki. This piece of music is a Soprano Solo with valse chantante. It is rather difficult, being designed for advanced and finished singers, yet so charmingly perfect in its rhythm and expression as to fairly enrapture both singer and audience. Price 60 cents.

HE'S IN THE SOUP, a Gavotte comic by Fred. ter Linden. The title of this piece might, at first glance, lead one to think it a comic song that was destined to merit wide popularity. Should they be disappointed to find it different they will be the more surprised, as well as pleased, when it is once heard to discover what a brilliant musical gem it is. There is a Tra la la chorus accompaniment that is very pretty and effective. Price 60c.

EVENING ZEPHYR, by Edouard Holst, is a well composed though quite difficult piece of instrumental music. Its gradients from high to low and vica versa are many and complete but so regular smooth and flowing that the effect produced is bewilderingly captivating. It is printed on extra heavy music paper and has a handsome colored cover. Price only 60 cents.

PLUTO, Grand Galop de Concert, for two performers (Duett), composed by Edouard Holst. This piece is also arranged for a single performance, the price of which piece is 60 cents; price of duett $1 25, and both are well worth the price asked.

JESUS LOVER OF MY SOUL, this good old song has been arranged by John S. Holmes as a Solo for either Soprano or Tenor, with Quartette ad lib. There is somewhat of a prejudiced criticism against introd ng on the sanctity of the original music of old gospel songs, owing to the fact that the original has so seldom been improved upon but mostly badly botched. But this time Mr. Holmes has certainly made a hit and caught the correct inspiration of the composer of this beautiful song. Price 50 cents.

Grapes for Health.

The use of ripe grapes for dinner is of incalculable benefit to the human system, and the Pure Grape Juice, properly preserved is invaluable for weakly persons and invalids. The Port Grape Wine and the Grape Juice preserved from his own vineyards, by Alfred Speer of New Jersey, is pronounced by the leading medical experts to be the most reliable to be obtained. To use the Unfermented Grape Juice is just like eating the ripe sweet grape.

SUB ROSA

Under the rose is a thorn we know,
And ever in life we find it so,
Under the sweetest flowers that blow,
Hides the thorn that hurts us so

Under the rose, but the rose is sweet;
Fairest of all the flowers we meet,
And never in life will it seem less sweet,
For the thorn that pierces unwary feet.

Under the rose that we pluck in joy,
Is the sharpest thorn—its one alloy;
So—pain and pleasure, grief and joy,
If it were not so would sweetness cloy?

Under the rose that we pick to-day,
The rose that the months are speeding away
The thorn lies hidden safely away.
Will we find that thorn some other day?

A Family Gathering.

Have you a father? Have you a mother? Have you a son or daughter, sister or a brother who have not yet taken Kemp's Balsam for the Throat and Lungs, the guaranteed remedy for the cure of Coughs, Colds, Asthma, Croup and all Throat and Lung troubles? If so, why, when a sample bottle is gladly given to you *free* by any druggist, and the large size costs only 50c and $1,00?

A Bed-Time Song.

Sway to and fro in the twilight gray,
This is the ferry for Shadowtown;
It always sails at the end of the day,
Just as the darkness is closing down.

Rest, little head, on my shoulder—so,
A sleepy kiss is the only fare;
Drifting away from the world we go,
Baby and I in the rocking-chair.

See where the fire logs glow and spark,
Glitter the lights of the shadowland,
The pelting rains on the window—hark!
Are ripples lapping upon its strand.

There where the mirror is glancing dim,
A lake with its glimmering cool and still;
Blossoms are waving above its brim,
Those over there on the window sill.

Rock slow, move slow, in the dusky light,
Silently lowering the anchor down;
Dear little passenger, say good-night,
We've reached the harbor of Shadowtown.

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An old physician, retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma, and all throat and Lung Affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this receipt, in German, French or English with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper W. A. NOYES, 149 *Power's Block, Rochester, N. Y.*

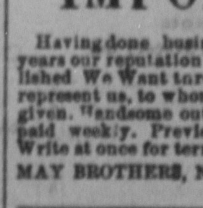
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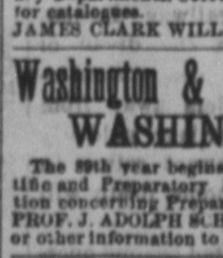
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I Climb to Rest.

Still must I climb, if I would rest,
The bird soars upward to his nest;
The young leaf on the tree-top high
Cradles itself within the sky.

Thy streams that seem to hasten down
Return in clouds the hills to crown;
The plant arises from her root
To rock aloft her flower and fruit.

I cannot in the valley stay;
The great horizons stretch away.
The very cliffs that wall me round
Are ladders unto higher ground.

To work—to rest—for each a time.
I toil, but I must also climb.
What soul was ever quite at ease
Shut in by earthly boundaries?

I am not glad till I have known
Life that can lift me from my own;
A loftier level must be won,
A mightier strength to lean upon.

And heaven draws near as I ascend;
The breeze invites, the stars befriend,
All things are beckoning to the Best;
I climb to thee, my God, for rest!

Mrs. Frank Bickford, of Lock Haven, spent Friday, with her sister, Mrs. S. D. Ray, of this place.

The Congo Railway Project.

In our article of late date I told you about a scheme to build a railroad and waterway four thousand miles long through the continent of Africa. I told you that this project was recommended to our attention on the plea of carrying civilization into the dark continent to break up the slave trade.

There is also another railroad contemplated in Africa which is urged by the New York *Herald*, called the "Congo Railway Company," and it is also said that this will contribute to the destruction of that iniquitous traffic in humanity.

The *Herald* says: "To break up the barbarous slave traffic now plied there, to carry civilization and Christianity to the teeming millions of the Dark Continent present a cause that may well inspire the noblest feelings of philanthropy."

We at the Eureka Grocery store have been giving this matter some thought, and while we are not ready to send our money so far away as the Congo, yet we are ever ready to sympathise with any project that will better the condition of God's children anywhere on the face of the earth. We can give our sympathy because that costs no money. But the *Herald* does not rely upon the generosity of the people altogether to secure the success of this enterprise. They also recommend it as a paying investment. They have, therefore, this to say about the commercial aspect of the Congo Railroad: "The present state of things in the Congo is such as to give every possible encouragement to capitalists to embark in the enterprise."

"Africa is a land of untold wealth, there is no limit to its resources in ivory, rubber, woods, minerals and many other valuable articles. The natives are said to be natural traders and will afford a rich market for American and European products in exchange for those of their own country.

"Thus a rich commerce awaits development, and the one adequate means of development is a railway."

I have given some attention to accounts of travels in Africa by Stanley, Livingstone, Baker, Cameron and others and have often wondered why that continent has not before this been opened up and settled by civilized people. That there is immense undeveloped wealth there no one can doubt, but there is a reason after all. Just as the world began to wake up to the advantages of commerce and lend its energies to the development of new fields the American continent was discovered, and because it was new and farther away men sought it. I have often thought much of the good that comes to the world through the restless energy of men, through their desire for gain, through their ever seeking that which lies beyond. Humanity is a progressive stage since we are ever seeking to learn more of the hidden mysteries of nature and art—the powers which evolve, the laws which govern. This spirit of inquiry has made the world what it is today. It has given us the great results we see in the fields of science, art, religion and literature.

For example, we behold the new world made known to the inhabitants of the old; the simple power of steam utilized in the navigation of the high seas, and in the present system of railways; the two great continents of the world united and brought together in close relations by the telegraphic cable; while the continents themselves are spanned by telegraphic wires, which, like the lightning's flash, send the result of human thought throughout its borders. These are only as milestones of human progress, and mark the path along which it has passed, while it continues its way towards that higer plane of intellectual perfection which lies beyond. While the human mind seeks to know more of those things which to the vast multitude appear as a sealed book; while with restless energy we push into new fields seeking new worlds to conquer, it is little wonder that attention is being directed towards the lately discovered regions of Africa.

Of the African continent, less was known fifty years ago, than was known in the early part of the Christian era by Strabo and Ptolemy; while Herodotus learned of the Egyptian priests nearly five centuries before, more than we knew half a century ago. For centuries, traders and adventurers had traversed Ethiopia until they came to a great river, where they found a race of people much darker than themselves from which circumstance the river took the name of *Niger*—the "Black River." Regarding the river discoverers failed to agree as some affirmed that it flowed to the eastward, while others declared that it flowed westward. Hence the source and direction of the Niger became a vexed question among geographers.

By some it was believed that it emptied itself into some unknown western ocean; others thought that it was lost in the sands of the desert, while the general opinion entertained regarding it was that it was the Nile, which many miles distant flowed through Egypt, regarding the source of which they were equally ignorant. The mystery of the Niger was not solved until the present century, and in seeking the solution of the problem it opened the way for those later investigations, which have been crowned with such signal success.

Although the explorations of Africa tended towards the same end, they were undertaken in an entirely different spirit. The noble Livingstone was urged on by that depth of Christian zeal which fired his heart with the desire to see all men "brought to the knowledge of the truth as it is in Jesus Christ," and while thus inspired, he pushed his way forward into the "dark continent," pursuing his researches, while he proclaimed the "glad tidings of great joy" to an ignorant and uncivilized people.

Great were the results of his arduous toils; and he laid aside the cross which he had so meekly and consistently born on earth, only to receive the "crown of unfading glory" which awaited him beyond the river. While this spirit actuated Livingstone, the heart of Baker was touched because of the iniquity of the slave trade. His heart was fired with a desire to wipe out the curse, and if possible raise up that down-trodden race.

Stanley's first expedition was undertaken to find Livingstone, from whom nothing had been heard for a long time; his second to unlock the mystery of ages, to explore the unexplored regions of the heart of Africa and give to a world waiting in suspense the answer to the question, which had been so long unanswered regarding the source of the Congo river. With a heroism which few have excelled he pursued his way through a land abounding in much peril, adding valuable information to that already acquired, and now he is there again still on the same mission, and the *Herald*, which paper sent him on his first journey, is urging the building of a railroad to and through this country, a knowledge of which has been given to the world by its correspondent.

That such an enterprise will cap the climax of the labors of these men whom we have named and accomplish the work that Baker as well as the rest so much desire, there is not a shadow of doubt. We at the Eureka Grocery store have fully decided that there is no more potent civilizing power that could penetrate this region of darkness than the railroad and the telegraph, accompanied as they will be by all the arts of trade and internal commerce—that in time large cities will grow up, the great desert of Africa like the great American desert become a thing of the past and the "rain belt" move inward from the coast as it is said to be doing here in the United States.

Our thoughts take on a wide range as we contemplate the possibilities that might be if these two African railroads are built. We do not suppose that the people of that continent will of themselves grow into the light. It seems to be the mission of the Caucasian race to carry their civilization to every part of the earth, and if this scheme is a success it must be the white man that shall make it so. If large towns and cities result other than the humble towns and cities that now exist it must again be the white man that shall put energy and enterprise into them. If a large commerce grows up the white man must make it grow. The white man will carry there the knowledge of the only living and true God, he will carry there the arts and sciences he will carry there schools, he will carry there beauty, grace, elegance and refinement. Then so, that they may not be better than there benefactors, he will carry there also "fire water," to the end that he may build up with one hand and tear down with the other.

Then they will establish societies to undo the evil rum causes. They will raise large sums of money, and send out large numbers of men at good salaries, to persuade these people to let this great evil alone, urge them to make laws to prohibit its sale, so that there may always be work and pay for reformers, and so the white man shall start the process of evolution.

In the land of Ethiopia,
In the continent of darkness,
Where flows the mighty river Niger;
Flowing onward through the desert,
Flowing westward, the Black River,"
Into the land of the Ethiopian.

Our Mr. Smith says now you have just hit the nail on the head. That being the case, we will stop right here, after urging all to come to the Eureka Grocery store, High street, Bellefonte, Pa., and buy the best groceries to be found in this state and for the least money. Our next article will be something else.

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NUMBER OF DELEGATES.

Bellefonte, N. W.	6	Haines, East P.	1
" S. W.	4	" West P.	2
" W. W.	3	Halfmoon	3
Centre Hall	1	Harris	2
Howard Boro	2	Howard Twp	3
Millheim	1	Huston	3
Milesburg	3	Liberty	4
Philipsburg—1st W.	3	Marion	1
" 2d. W.	4	Miles	2
" 3d. W.	3	Patton	3
Unionville	2	Penn	1
Benner Twp	3	Potter North P.	1
Boggs East P.	2	" South P.	2
" West P.	4	Rush North P.	4
" North	2	" South P.	2
Burnside	2	Snow Shoe East P.	4
College	6	" West P.	2
Curtin	1	Spring	9
Ferguson, East P.	2	Taylor	2
" West P.	2	Union	3
Gregg, North P.	1	Walker	3
" South P.	2	Worth	2
Total number of delegates			120
Necessary to choice in nomination			61

The primary elections for delegates will be held under the supervision of the district committeemen, who will see that the proper election officers are designated and in attendance.

In the boroughs of Bellefonte, Centre Hall, Howard, Millheim, Milesburg, Philipsburg and Unionville, and in the townships of Howard, Potter, Snow Shoe and Union, the polls will be open at 7 p. m. and close at 9 p. m., and in the remaining districts will open at 2 p. m. and close at 5 p. m.

LAWRENCE L BROWN.
Chairman County Committee.

JOHN M DALE,
Secretary.

Republican County Committee for 1889.

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LAWRENCE L. BROWN, *Chairman*, Bellefonte.

District.		*Name.*	*Address.*
Bellefonte	N. W.	W. L. Malin	Bellefonte.
do	S. W.	Thos. Donachy	do
do	W. W.	G. W. Rees	do
Milesburg	Borough	A. T. Boggs	Milesburg
Millheim	do	J. H. Deibler	Millheim
Centre Hall	do	W P Shoop	Centre Hall
Howard	do	Hayes Schenck	Howard
Philipsburg	1st W.	S. S. Crissman	Philipsburg
do	2d W.	Dr. J W Dunniddie	do
do	3d W.	Thos. W. Thompson	do
Unionville	Borough	Joseph P. Barton	Fleming
Benner	twp	Henry Woomer	Bellefonte
Boggs	do W. P.	C. P. Stonerode	Milesburg
do	do E. P.	J. M. Parker	Roland
do	do N. P.	Jacob Croft	Milesburg
Burnside	twp	Wm. Stewart	Moshannon
College	do	Jas. Mitchell	State College
Curtin	do	Wm. Robb	Romola
Ferguson	do O. P.	Jno. G. Bailey	Fairbrook
do	do N. P.	J. B. Goheen	Penna. Furnace
Gregg	do N. P.	Isaac Smith	Farmers Mills
do	do S. P.	Dr. F. H. Vanvalzah	Sp'g Mills
Haines	do W. P.	Dr. C. S. Musser	Aaronsburg
do	do E. P.	Chas. B. Bressler	Fiedler
Half Moon	twp	J. P. Seibring	Stormstown
Harris	do	Scott Bricker	Boalsburg
Howard	do	D. W. Schenck	Howard
Huston	do	W. S. Williams	Martha
Liberty	do	H. A. Snyder	Blanchard
Marion	do	S. H. Bennison	Walker
Miles	do	W. S. Miller	Rebersburg
Patton	do	Geo. Stevenson	Buffalo Run
Penn.	do	Samuel Ulrich	Coburn
Potter	do N. P.	James Gregg	Centre Hall
do	do S. P.	Wm. J. Thompson	Potters Mills
Rush	do N. P.	David Kinkead	Philipsburg
do	do S. P.	H. H. Yarnell	Sandy Ridge
Snow Shoe	do E. P.	J. I. Yarnell	Snow Shoe
do	do W. P.	John A. Yerger	Moshannon
Spring	do	M. F. Riddle	Pleasant Gap
Taylor	do	John Weaver	Hannah
Union	do	E. C. Barton	Fleming
Walker	do	Wm. Kessinger	Hublersburg
Worth	do	Thos. Weston	Port Matilda

PLUCKY Spokane Falls, like Seattle, has taken heart promptly after her great disaster. The land on which stood some of the blocks that were burned has actually increased in value, and a big building boom is already under way in the gritty little Western town. There is every prospect now that in a year's time Spokane Fall will be handsomer and more prosperous than ever. American courage and enterprise, backed by that implicit faith in the future, which is so eminently an American characteristic, are capable of accomplishing wonders in the task of retrieving fortunes which disaster has temporarily shattered. Spokane Falls is not going to get left.

THE population of the Sandwich Islands has been decreasing with much speed of late years, and this should give His Royal Highness, King Kalakana, pause before he passes sentence of death on the revolutionists who recently made an unsuccessful effort to seize his throne and start a new government. They are now prisoners, and it takes most of the balance of the arms-bearing population to guard them.

THE law against the Chinese being imported to this country is evaded by the fellows being brought to Mexico and then smuggled across the southern border. The Republican party owes it to itself to put a stop to this.

A Missouri Pharmacist.

For years I have sold drugs in Kansas and Missouri, with a large experience in selling patent medicines, and bear testimony to the remarkable efficacy of Swift's Specific. It cured more people of contagious blood poison than any other medicine that I ever sold, and I have sold all kinds. One man [whose address I will give to those who wish it] had his hair all taken out by contagious blood poison. Scales came all over his head, face and body. His bones finally became involved, and he went from bad to worse under the ordinary treatment. This man was cured sound and well by S. S. S. I could name dozens of the worst cases who were cured of all sorts of blood diseases by S. S. S. after exhausting all other treatment. One gentleman of Osceola, Mo., who tried all the treatment of Hot Springs and other springs, was finally cured by S. S. S. My brother was cured of eczema by taking S. S. S, after he had tried all other treatment. I will cheerfully give names and address to any who wish them.

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—Abundant showers.

—Many moth fly around the lights in the evening.

—The Roman Catholic picnic on Tuesday was a great success.

—A boat propelled by a large swan is what John Sourbeck is going to place in Spring creek.

—We will all take a ride in John Sourbeck's boat as soon as it is placed on the waters of Spring creek.

—That was a large picnic that went out on the Buffalo Run railroad on Tuesday and they looked as if they had a pleasant time.

—The live stock owned by John DuBois, at DuBois, includes 300 cattle, 304 sheep and 70 horses and mules. Last week he harvested 505 tons of hay for the stock to eat.

—Some of the papers are stating that the order of the Knights of Labor has gone to pieces. They seem to be very sorry about it. However, we guess the Knights are all right and the newspapers' tears are of the crocodile order. At least, their worry is worse than wasted.

—Some capitalist can make a profitable investment and cause himself to be remembered with gratitude if he will erect an opera house on the northeast corner of the Diamond square. It is the best location for it and everything connected with the location seems to invite such an investment *now*.

Took First Prize.

The State board of pharmacy recently analyzed twelve of the most popular medicines in order to see whether they were what they were recommended to be. After two weeks of careful work, they awarded the first prize, a gold medal, to Messrs A. P. Orddway & Co., proprietors of Sulphur Bitters, it being in their opinion the best and only strictly pure blood purifying medicine in the market.

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Physicians should be very careful how they experiment with Dr. Brown Sequard's new discovery, the Elixir of Life. For instance, in Chattahooche, Mississippi, on last Thursday, a doctor obtained his compound from a goat. He administered one deam of it to a 10 year old bed-ridden negro. Ever since then the old fellow has been as lively as a goat, but the worst part of it is he is dancing horn pipes, butting down fences and chewing tin cans—too much like the original goat. This sort of elixir will not do at all.

In Richburg, Mississippi, the doctor meant to do all right; but he sent his negro servant to slay the lamb. Behold the man selected the bell weather of the flock, the Doctor not knowing this until after the medicine was administered, because no time can be lost in the operation. He experimented on himself. He is only 35 years old, but nevertheless the medicine produced a most surprising effect. One hour after taking the liquid he found himself uttering "Ba-ah!" "Ba-ah!" while at the same time he could not resist the impulse to leap nimbly over fences and nibble at the stubble in the fields.

Out in San Francisco the Doctor wanted his patient to be very lively indeed. So he hunted up an ostrich, succeeded in killing it and soon administered the tonic to his patient. Behold the man's clothing at once turned to the beauty of the feathers of an ostrich. He ran off and hid his head in the sand and when the Doctor ran after him the man kicked so violently as to break the medicine man's leg. When last heard from the man was eating a wheel barrow for dinner with cobble stones for desert.

The above instances of the effect of the elixir are entitled to as much credit as is the average snake story.

ALL ABOUT THE SHAH.

Persia's Monarch Depicted in His Various Moods.

From the New York Sun.

Kimmel is his favorite drink. He drinks it by the tumblerful.

All the Persian suite haggle over purchases as in their native land. They even stand out for shillings.

He advised Lord Salisbury, when visiting at Hartford, that he ought to "do something better" for his son, the parish clergyman.

At the Marlborough House garden party, seeing a young woman who struck his fancy, he marched over to her, and planted himself square in front, stared at her until she had to beat a retreat.

His standard of female beauty may be judged by this. When the Duchess of Leinster was mentioned he said "Hem! But Lady Rosebury—ah! Beautiful." Lady Rosebery weighs over 200 pounds.

His famous emerald is described as too big for effect, being about the size of an ordinary watch, and exactly like a bit of green glass. The surface is so extensive that it loses the ordinary lustre and sparkle.

He has no hesitation about signifying his distaste for a woman's ugliness. If a homely woman is presented to him he is apt to say: "Take her away—she is too ugly!" generally in Persian, but sometimes in French.

His barber is a squat little man of a very military air. He is in his hands about half an hour at a time. He is first shaved, then he has his hair brushed and his hair and mustache dyed black. Naturally he would probably be very gray.

At Lady Rosebery's dinner, where every one appeared in uniform or court dress, Mr. Robert Browning, being a university dignitary, arrayed himself in a university robe. When the Shah saw him, supposing him to be in allegorical dress, he remarked: "Ah, vous etes poesie!"

He writes his name in the visitors' book wherever he goes. At the Elkington factory he wrote in Persian character: "On arrival in Birmingham, at the factory of Elkington, I wrote this as a souvenir in this book, of date July 11, 1889: 'Nasr-ed-Din, Shah, Kajar' "

His English escort during his stay couldn't quite understand why his own suite took such elaborate trouble when waking him if he happened to be asleep when approaching his railway destination. The cause was not the dread of royalty, but the Persian idea that during sleep the soul wanders away from the body, and if a sleeper is so suddenly aroused that the soul cannot return in time to its accustomed home death will be the result.

His tact was demonstrated beyond question at Birmingham. When he stepped on the platform the crowd fairly mobbed him. He took in the situation at a glance, smiled and readily responded to the requests of scores of men and women to shake hands with him. Had he been a European, says one London journal instead of an Eastern sovereign, he could not have shown himself more apt to comprehend the free and good natured spirit of an English crowd. No one wonders at his ability to rule Persia.

When he went to Scheffield, on entering the station, after listening to the addresses of welcome, he found the waiting room packed with presents for him, the gifts of the various local manufacturers. There were fishing hooks and needles, small and large, trout fishing rods, tackle of all kinds, a marvelous variety of artificial flies, minnows and other kinds of bait, crochet needles and other small ware, all put up in handsome boxes. The Shah, through Prince Malcom Khan, expressed his thanks, and said the presents would be put on exhibition in Persia, and would a kind of educational aid to his people, and let them see what ingenious and useful things the English can produce.

While the sun shines.

Down where the meadows are smiling in clover,
And each blade of grass holds its own drop of dew,
Where fairy-like cloud ships sail dreamily over
Across the fair sea of ethereal blue;
Where the wild bees incessantly hum in their gladness,
And the meadow-lark gleefully warbles its lay,
While the turtle-dove mournfully tells of her sadness,
The honest old farmer is making his hay.

Up in the city hall at the convention,
At sly back-room meetings where slates are arranged
In ways that are dark and too numerous to mention,
Where money for ballots is freely exchanged;
With wise declarations and solemn-made pledges
This, that and the other designed to betray,
By promises this way those that way he hedges,
The sly politician is making his hay.
—OMAHA WORLD

Grandma's Boy.

"Her little boy grows up so fast,"
Said grandma, "that some sunny day,
He'll wake and be a man at last,
And wander from her far away,
Oh, then, what will his poor old grandma do?"
"Don't worry," said he, "I'll take care of you!

"I fear her boy may soon forget,"
Sighed grandma, "those who loved him here,
And leave them with one scarce regret,
Maybe without one sigh or tear."
A tender look beamed in his eyes of blue;
He whispered, "Grandma, I'll take care of you!"

"But grandma will be very old,
And only in the way, she fears;
His chubby hands her neck enfold,
His earnest eyes are full of tears,
"And oft we give the old love for the new!"
"But grandma," he said, "I'll take care of you!"

"I'll build for you a house so fine;
And you shall have six easy chairs;
Dozens of servants when you dine,
And lot of comforts everywheres!"
While grandma smiled her knitting through,
"Don't fret," said he, "for I'll take care of you!"

Dear grandma softly shades her eyes—
The sunlight maybe makes them weep;
Close to her heart her darling lies,
Rocked in a calm and gentle sleep.
And kisses fall upon the lips, so true,
That said: "Don't worry; I'll take care of you!"
—*The Independent.*

Nature's Masterpiece.

The lovely maiden in the hammock swings
Beneath the umbrageous trees,
While robin in the ripening orchard sings
His thrilling melodies,

In dotted muslin dressed, or snowy
Adorned with cherry bows,
She is a vision fairer than the dawn
Sweet as the new-blown rose.

The shining tresses of her silken hair
About her shoulders play;
There Cupid hides—each ringlet is a snare
Avoid her while you may:

For who can look upon her lovely face,
Her brightly beaming eye,
Behold her smile, her form's bewitching grace,
And scathless pass her by?

Turn back, oh, youth; another path pursue;
Turn back, thou art in peril,
If thou would'st keep thy heart avoid her, do,
The sweet vacation girl.
—*Boston Courier.*

THE OCEAN JILT.

She was slender and tall, azure-eyed, with a cheek
That paled or grew pink with each passing emotion;
And the siren ensnared me in one little week,
When we met on the steamer crossing the ocean.

It's the old simple story, From lashing her chair
In the morning and stopping to talk of the weather
To the last turn on deck in the cool evening air-
There was always a something to throw us together:

And never suspecting they could be but wiles
She practiced adroitly, before land was sighted
I had fallen a prey to her glances and smiles,
And tenderly, truly, our troth had been plighted,

But the promise she gave me she promptly took back
When she reached terra firma, and wrote me from Dover:
"Our engagement, of course, doesn't count, dearest Jack,
For you know when 'twas made we were both half seas over!"
—*Life.*

"Hurry to the door, Mary, and let Mr. Smith in. He has rung twice" "That isn't Mr. Smith; it is the other young gentl men." "Well, wait a minute then. I must change the photographs on the mantel."

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

We have been authorized by the friends of Rev. D. M. Wolf, of Spring Mills, to present his name as a candidate for Associate Judge subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of 'Squire William Thompson, of College township, for the nomination for Associate Judge, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

We are authorized to present the name of John Kline as a candidate for District Attorney subject to the rules of the republican county convention. Mr. Kline is a temperance Republican.

FOR PROTHONOTARY.

We are authorized to announce the name of W I Fleming as a candidate for the nomination for Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the Republican county convention.

We are authorized to announce G. Guyer Mattern of Patton township as a candidate for Prothonotary, subject to the decision of the republican county convention.

Bellefonte Markets.

BELLEFONTE, August 14, 1889.

Red Wheat, old per bushel	85
Red Wheat, new, per bushel	80
Mixed Wheat, old, per bushel	80
Mixed wheat, new, per bushel	75
Buckwheat, new, per bushel	40
Rye per bushel	45
Corn (shelled)	40
Corn (ears)	40
Oats	27
Barley	45
Cloverseed, fair to good	$5.00
do prime and extra prime	5.50
do choice	6.00
Flour, retail, per barrel	5.60
Flour, wholesale	5.00
Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$18.00

Provision Markets.

(Corrected weekly by Eureka Grocery Co.)

Apples, dried, per pound	8
Cherries dried, per pound, seeded	12
Dried Currants, per pound	10
New Raisins, per pound	10—12½
Beans, per quart	10
Fresh Butter, per pound	18
Cheese, per pound	18
Country Hams, per pound	12½
Hams, sugar cured	15—17
Shoulders	12½
Breakfast Bacon	12½—14
Country Bacon	10
Lard, leaf, per pound	12½
Lard, country, per pound	16
Eggs, per dozen	15
Potatoes, per bushel	60
Dried Beef	26
Canned Beef, 2 pound can	25
Country Side, per pound	10
Canned Tomatoes, per can	10—12½—15
Canned Corn, per can	10—12½
Lemons, per dozen	30
Dried sweet Corn, per pound	10
Apple Butter, per gallon	50
Roller Flour, per sack	$1 40

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SICK

Headache, yet CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

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is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

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COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Hon. A. O. Furst, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 49th judicial district, consisting of the Counties of Centre and Huntingdon and the Hon. Chester Munson and the Hon. Daniel Rhoads, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date the 29th day of July, A. D. 1889, to me directed, for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre, and to commence on the fourth Monday of Aug, being the 26th day of August, 1889, and to continue one week, notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the fourth Monday, the 26th day of August 1889, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 29th day of July, in the year of our Lord, 1889, and in the one hundred and fourteenth year of the independence of the United States.

ROBERT COOKE, JR., Sheriff.

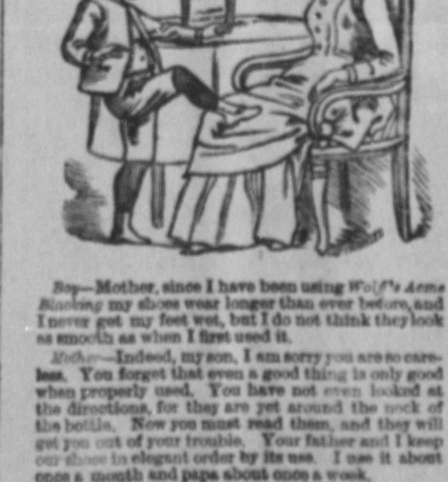
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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

Use of John P. Harris vs. H. S. Sayre, } In the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County. Judgment No 6 Jan. T., 1889. Fi Fa No 21 Jan. T, 1889. Al Fi Fa No 30 Apr. T, 1889

The undersigned, an Auditor appointed by said Court to make distribution of the funds in the hands of the Sheriff arising from the sale on said Fi Fa., will attend to the duties of his appointment at his office in the Borough of Bellefonte, on Saturday, August 17. A. D. 1889, at 10 o'clock a. m Parties interested will please attend.

21 31 3t CLEMENT DALE, Auditor.



Boy—Mother, since I have been using *Wolff's Acme Blacking* my shoes wear longer than ever before, and I never get my feet wet, but I do not think they look as smooth as when I first used it.

Mother—Indeed, my son, I am sorry you are so careless. You forget that even a good thing is only good when properly used. You have not even looked at the directions, for they are yet around the neck of the bottle. Now you must read them, and they will get you out of your trouble. Your father and I keep our shoes in elegant order by its use. I use it about once a month and papa about once a week.

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" 4's "	128	⅛
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Philadelphia & Reading R R	22[illegible]	[illegible]
Lehigh Valley R R	53⅜	[illegible]
Lehigh Coal and Navigation Co	52⅜	[illegible]
Western N Y & Penn	10	[illegible]
New Jersey Central	112½	[illegible]
Northern Pacific Com	29⅜	[illegible]
" " Prefered	67	[illegible]
Oregon Transcontinental	33	[illegible]
Union Pacific	60⅝	[illegible]
Western Union	85⅜	[illegible]
Richmond Terminal	28⅜	[illegible]
Louisville & Nashville	68⅜	[illegible]
Pacific Mail	37⅜	[illegible]
Delaware, Lackawanna & Western	145⅜	[illegible]
New York & New England	51⅜	⅛

Sheriff's Sales.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias and Venditioni Exponas, issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre County, and to me directed, will be exposed at public sale at the Court House, in the Borough of Bellefonte, on

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24, A. D. 1889,

at 1.30 o'clock P. M., the following described property, to wit:

—No 1—

ALL that certain tract of land lying and being in College township, Centre county, Pa., adjoining lands of Moses Thompson on the north and east and the Centre Furnace lands on the south and west. Beginning at stone corner of land of Moses Thompson, thence north 63 degrees east 82 perches to stones; thence north 16 degrees west 113.6 perches to a pine; thence north 31¼ degrees west 31¼ perches to stones; thence south 55¾ degrees west 117 perches to a small pine; thence south 49 degrees east 171 perches to the place of beginning, containing 89 acres of land more or less. Thereon erected one good dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Margaret Jane Showalter and John W Showalter, her husband.

—No 2—

ALL that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the townships of Spring, Benner and Potter, in Centre county, described as follows: On the north by lands of George W Loneberger, on the east by lands of Henry Miller, on the south by lands of John Rockey and others and on the west by lands of Mrs. Sprow, containing one hundred and thirty acres, more or less. Thereon erected one log house and log barn.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Anthony G Noll.

—No 3—

ALL that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situate in the Borough of Unionville, Centre Co., Pa., bounded on the east by Daniel Hall, on the South by Union, on the west by Main street and on the north by Allegheny street, being No. 16 in the general plan of said borough. Thereon erected one hotel building, store room and barn.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of A. T. Leathers.

—No 4—

ALL that certain lot of ground situate in the Borough of Bellefonte, county of Centre, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a point 100 feet west of northeast corner of lot sold to John Hoffer on south side of Curtin street, thence westerly along said Curtin street 50 feet to lot of E M Sturdevant; thence southerly along line of same 200 feet to an alley; thence east along said alley 50 feet to line of lot sold to A M Hoover and others; thence in a northerly direction along line of lot of said A. M. Hoover et al. 200 feet to the place of beginning, fronting on south side of Curtin street 50 feet and extending back same width 200 feet to an alley. Thereon erected one 2-story frame dwelling house, stable and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Frank E. Bible and Mary A. Bible.

—No 5—

A certain lot or piece or parcel of land situate in Potter township, adjoining lands of Jacob Spangler, Thomas Mays, Uriah Slack and Thomas Stein, containing 97 acres more or less. Thereon erected one frame dwelling house, log barn and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of James Armagast.

—No 6—

ALL that certain messuage, tenement or tract of land situate in the township of Taylor, county of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at stones and hemlock pointer—being corner of Jacob Vanpool survey and Isaac Moore tract, thence south fifty-four (54) degrees west two hundred and twenty perches to white oak sapling; thence south fifty-one (51) degrees east about one hundred and twenty-five (125) perches, more or less, along a compromise line to white oak corner of Jacob Vanpool survey; thence north sixty-five (65) degrees east twenty-three (23) perches to chestnut; thence south fifty-six (56) degrees east one hundred and fifty (150) perches to a Spanish oak sapling; thence north thirty (30) degrees east eighty-one (81) perches to dogwood; thence north twenty-four (24) degrees west two hundred and two (202) perches to a white pine stump; thence south sixty-four (64) degrees west forty-five (45) perches to a fallen white oak; thence north fifty-nine (59) degrees west ninety-six (96) perches to a fallen white oak; thence south forty-nine and one-half (49½) degrees east fifty-six and one-tenth (56.1) perches to stones and hemlock the place of beginning, being a part of the Jacob Vanpool survey, the whole of which contained originally two hundred and forty-eight (248) acres and seventy-six (76) perches and allowance; excepting, however, therefrom a triangle at the northwest corner which was released to John Shivery, the vender of the heirs of John Vanpool, which said triangle has been excluded in above description, as interferes with what is known as the Wm. Miller survey. Thereon erected one small log house.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Christian Sharar.

—No 8—

ALL that certain town lot situate in South Philipsburg, Rush township, Centre county, Pa., known as lot No.182 in the plan of said village, and bounded as follows: Beginning at a post, the corner of A G Hale property on Hemlock street, thence south 45 degrees west 33 feet to post and corner of other property of A G Hale; thence north 45 degrees west 150 feet to an alley; thence along said alley north 45 degrees east 33 feet to post at corner of A G Hale property; thence along line of said A G Hale south 45 degrees east 150 feet to corner on Hemlock street and place of beginning, being part of the A G Hale property. Thereon erected one frame dwelling house and outbuildings.

—No 9—

ALSO, all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Rush township, county of Centre, and State of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows: Beginning at a post corner on line of Robert Lloyd and being the common corner of Pat Parker and the lot hereby being conveyed; thence from said post north 22½ degrees east 19.50 perches to post on line of other lands of the said Johnstown Cullen; thence south 64½ degrees east 8.33 perches to post corner of John Holick; thence south 22½ degrees west 18.92 perches to a post on line of land of Robert Lloyd; thence north 68½ degrees west 8.33 perches to post and place of beginning, and containing one acre net measure. Thereon erected one frame dwelling house and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of D W Holt.

—No 10—

ALL those two parcels, tracts or pieces of land bounded and described as follows: The *first thereof*, situate in the townships of Benner and Union, Centre county, Pa. Beginning at stones, thence along lands of Thomas Purdue south 30 degrees east 199 rods to stones; thence along lands of Jas. Resides south 60 degrees west 125 rods to stones; thence along land of Wm. A. Thomas north 30 degrees west 199 rods to stones; thence along land of same north 60 degrees east 125 rods to the place of beginning, containing about 150 acres and 50 perches.

The *other thereof*, situate in Benner township, Centre county, Pa. Beginning at a post southeast of Michael Myers' house, thence by land of John Eckley north 63 degrees east 55 rods to stones; thence by land of Michael Myers north 30 degrees west 165.9 rods to post; thence by lands of Wm. A. Thomas heirs heirs south 50 degrees west 55.7 rods to stones; thence by land of Joseph Lowry 30 degrees east 153.3 rods to the place of beginning, containing 61 acres and 112 perches. Thereon erected one dwelling house, barn and other outbuildings.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Ellis G. Way, administrator of Michael Myers, deceased.

—No 11—

ALL that certain messuage, tenement and tract of land situated in the township of Howard, county of Centre and state of Pennsylvania, bounded and described as follows, to wit: Beginning at a post at the Bald Eagle Creek at the mouth of Railroad Culvert thence by land of Rudolph Fletcher south 39½° west 55 perches to a stone pile; thence by land of Bernard Lauth south 51° west, 58.6 perches to a black walnut; thence by same north 39° west, 26.6 perches to post two perches from centre of B, E, V, R, R, thence by land of said B, E, V, R, R, north 61° east, 26.3 perches to post two perches from centre of said Railroad; thence across said Railroad by land of said Bernard Lauth north 29° west, 48.2 perches to the aforesaid Bald Eagle Creek; thence down by said creek the several courses and distances thereof to the point of beginning, containing 15 acres net measure. Also all the water power and the rights and privileges connected therewith. Thereon erected 1 Rolling and puddling mill building, wheel house, machine shops, forge building, smith shop, runout building, foundry, rod mill, storage building, charcoal house, office, stable, 3 double dwelling houses, painted brown, 4 other dwelling houses, with necessary out-buildings. Together with all other improvements, fixtures and permanent machinery appurtenant thereto.

Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of the Howard Rolling Mill Company, Limited.

TERMS: No deed will be acknowledged until the purchase money be paid in full.

ROBERT COOKE, JR., Sheriff.

Sheriff's Office, Bellefonte, Pa., July 30, 1889.

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A VARIETY OF ITEMS STRUNG TOGETHER WITHOUT REGARD TO ORDER.

Mr. Toner McAllister, of Sandy Ridge, who buried one of his sons in this place last week (an account of whose death has been published) desires us to thank his many friends here and also at Sandy Ridge for the help they extended to him in his hour of affliction. In such times of great need a friend is a friend indeed, and they all are very gratefully remembered by Mr. and Mrs. McAllister.

These August mornings have none of the torrid features about them which are supposed to characterize August weather. Indeed, Monday morning was real cool, and light overcoats were comfortable.

Dr. E. W. Hale's new building over the mill race is mounting upward under, or over, the drift superintendence of Mr. Miller, the carpenter. It is all of frame, and will be a ware house. It is said that McCalmont & Co. will occupy it.

A few weeks ago the fruit trees were laden with blossoms, which have now matured into beautiful and tempting fruit, hanging heavily on the trees, weighing down the branches and reflecting the ever faithful blessing of a kind Providence. But what a temptation they are to the boys. And we are sorry to say that many of the boys cannot leave a fruit tree alone, but take the fruit off before it is fairly ripe. This is stealing, and is just as evil as to steal a large sum of money. If boys who eat much fruit are taken suddenly with a pain which wafts them quickly "over the river," then they'll probably wish they had never seen any green apples. On Bunker Hill there are more than the usual number of boys of this sort.

We won't urge other enterprises to come to Bellefonte. What's the use? Would it not be wiser to infuse some life into such as are now in existence? For instance, there is the glass factory. We hope it will be put in operation at the usual time this fall. Some of the wealthier capitalists of the town owe it to themselves to give it the impetus which they alone can.

Elected a Pastor.

On Sunday, August 5, Rev. John F Moyer, of Hummelstown, preached twice in the Reformed church here and once at Zion. Both congregations were much pleased with him. On Sunday morning at congregational meetings held in both of these churches, they voted unanimously to elect him the pastor. In the afternoon, the joint consistory met in the church at Zion and unanimously and earnestly extended a call to him to become the pastor of the charge, consisting of the church here and the one at Zion.

It is believed he will accept. It is understood that he was very favorably impressed with the charge here when he visited this place. He can speak the German language which will add to his usefulness among part of his congregation.

The reverend gentleman is equally happy in delivering extemporaneous as in written discourses, and his morning sermon here was of the former character. We expect that the Consistory will receive a favorable reply to their invitation.

Bob Ingersoll's Explanation.

Here is the way Bob Ingersoll puts it: "Here is a shoe shop. One man in the shop is always busy enough all day—always industrious. In the evening he goes courting some nice girl. There are five other men in the shop that don't do any such thing. They spend half their working evenings in dissipation. The first young man, by the by, cuts out these others and gets a boot and shoe store of his own. Then he marries the girl. Soon he is able to take his wife out riding of an evening. The five laborers, his former companions, who see him indulging in this luxury, retire to the neighboring saloon and pass resolutions that there is an eternal struggle between labor and capital."

A Bold Robbery in Altoona.

The police of Altoona will prove themselves as worthless as their brethren in the larger cities if they do not arrest the fellows who did an unusually bold and audacious act in that city on Saturday afternoon. They entered a residence on Eighteenth avenue and Twenty-second street, in that city, in which Mrs. Fleming was alone at the time. They bound and gagged her and poured some sort of a liquid down her throat. One of them kept a revolver at her head threatening to shoot her if she should attempt to give an alarm. The other went through the house and took what he could find. Then they left. The lady has not yet recovered from the shock and it may prove fatal.

His Visit was a Sorrowful One.

Master Thomas McAllister, son of Mr. John Toner McAllister, who died at Sandy Ridge on Thursday, was not the oldest son, but the third in the family in respect to age. The father, in conversation with us on Saturday, spoke in high praise of the boy and seemed to feel his death very much. He said that Tommy has always been a good boy and was kind and affectionate to him. It seemed [illegible] hard to him that the [illegible], but so it was. Tommy's death was, as we have stated, quite sudden. His father, who was in Altoona at the time, knew nothing of the lad's illness until death was announced. He brought him to Bellefonte for burial because he considers this, of all other places, his home. Mr. AcAllister departs to-day for Altoona, to where his family will also remove, he being in the employ of the Allegheny Fire Brick Works there.

A Useful Remedy.

We notice, in an exchange, the experience of a lady which led to her recovery from consumption. We give it for what it is worth, as follows:

"This lady, having heard that there was peculiar virtue in a pillow made from pine straw, and having none of that material at hand, made one from fine, soft, pine shavings, and had the pleasure of noting immediate benefit. Soon all the members of the household had pine shavings pillows, and it was noticed that all coughs, asthmatic or bronchial troubles abated at once after sleeping a few nights on these pillows. An invalid suffering with lung trouble derived much benefit from sleeping upon a mattress made from the shavings. The material is cheap and makes a very pleasant and comfortable mattress, the odor of the pine permeating the entire room and absorbing or dispelling all unpleasant or objectionable odors."

Death of Judge Cummin.

Judge Cummin, who has been lying in a critical condition at Cresson for the past week, died at 8.27 o'clock Sunday morning of Bright's disease. The Judge was connected with the Relief Commission at Johnstown, and by his hard work there probably brought on the attack which finally resulted in his death. The remains passed through Altoona on Mail east Sunday evening in special car No. 210, which had been placed at the disposal of the family by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company. At Tyrone the car was taken off the train and was run from there to Williamsport as a special train.

The Judge is well known here and his family will have much sympathy in their affliction.

July Weather Report.

The month of July was remarkably cool and wet. The average temperature for the month was 76.67 deg. The highest for the month was 94 deg. on the 9th and 10th. The lowest was 40 deg. on the night of the 25th. The mean of maximum temperature for the month was 81 deg. The least daily range of the mercury was 9 deg. on the 31st, the greatest range 46 degrees on the 25th. The total rain fall for the month was 6.08 inches. There was rain on 14 days; there was 10 clear days and 11 cloudy days. There were thunder on the 1st, 2nd, 3d, 11th, 14th and 29th.

—Two games of base ball were played on Saturday. In the morning the Coronets and Browns had an interesting game, in which the former were quite easy victors by a score of 20 to 8. In the afternoon the very entertaining game between Manufacturers and Lawyers was played. After the first inning the Manufacturers secured a lead which they kept until the close of the game. This is the Manufacturers third successive victory—one last summer and two this. The score in Saturday's game was very large—entirely too large to be expressed in cold type.

—Some one tells us that Penns Valley's famous cave has been purchased by a couple of Pittsburg gentlemen, one of whom is named Rose. If this is true and they will improve the surroundings of this wondrous natural curiosity, making it attractive and beautiful, its future will indeed be Rosey.

Died in Baltimore.

Mr. Philip Elbeele, who is quite well known here, died in Baltimore on Sunday and was brought to Bellefonte for burial. He was a son-in-law of Mrs. Haas, of Roopsburg.

Take Hood's Sarsaparilla 100 Doses One Dollar

The Chief Reason for the great success of Hood's Sarsaparilla is found in the article itself. It is merit that wins, and the fact that Hood's Sarsaparilla actually accomplishes what is claimed for it, is what has given to this medicine a popularity and sale greater than that of any other sarsaparilla or blood purifier before the public. **Merit Wins**
Hood's Sarsaparilla cures Scrofula, Salt Rheum and all Humors, Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Biliousness, overcomes That Tired Feeling, creates an Appetite, strengthens the Nerves, builds up the Whole System.
Hood's Sarsaparilla is sold by all druggists. $1; six for $5. Prepared by C. I. Hood & Co., Apothecaries, Lowell, Mass.

A VERITABLE BOA CONSTRICTOR.

Jefferson County Takes the Whole Bakery on the Latest Snake Story.

Punxsutawney Spirit.

Theodore Pantall, proprietor of the Hotel Pantall, and one of the principal stockholders in the Mahoning Bank, lives on a farm about a mile east of town. His farmer is Peter W. Diltz, a sober, industrious, and thoroughly reliable man so that what we are about to relate though perhaps the biggest snake story of the season, is the plain unvarnished truth. On last Thursday Mr. Diltz was raking hay in a field adjoining the woods, with a hay rake. As the horses approached a large brush pile in the fence corner they began to snuff the air and act very strangely. As they drew near they reared up and snorted and became frantic with terror. Mr. Diltz suspected that there was something wrong, about the brush pile,and,turning the horses around and driving them some distance away, went back to investigate. He struck the brush pile with a stick. In an instant there was a terrible commotion within. The brush was heaved about as though a cyclone had struck it, and then Mr. Diltz witnessed a sight that transfixed him to the spot and froze the blood in his veins. A huge, yellow snake, not less than sixteen feet long, and as thick around the middle as a large log, rushed out and down over the hill. It had a full grown rabbit about half way in its mouth, and after running two or three times the length of itself it threw the rabbit out. It ran with its head elevated about two feet from the ground. Just below the northwest corner of the field is a ravine filled with logs, brush and stone. Into this the serpynt made its way and disappeared. After recovering sufficiently from his fright, Mr. Diltz went and looked at the rabbit. It resembled a drowned rat. It was coated with a slimy substance, and appeared very limp, but its heart still fluttered and its limbs moved convulsively. But Mr. Diltz did not remain long in that locality for fear the serpent would take a notion to return for the rabbit. Nor did he rake any more hay in that field. Money could not induce him to enter it again. There is no doubt whatever of the truth of this story, as Mr. Pantall afterwards saw the rabbit, and also the place where the snake had lain, and Mr. Diltz is willing to testify to its correctness under oath. The probability is that this serpant has escaped from some traveling menagerie, as it is not of a species indigenous to North America, and from its enormous size, must belong to to the constrictor family.

The REPUBLICAN and Weekly PRESS one year for $1.50. Such an offer was never made before in Centre county, and never will be again.

—An original novel, entitled "Love and Enmity," is now being published in the *Gazette*. It is very well written and the plot is such as to easily hold the interest of the reader. We understand that the authoress is Mrs. Frank Cessna, of East Lamb street. Mrs. C. is a bright intelligent lady and we congratulate her on this excellent work.

—So far as the prevalence of sickness is concerned, the people of this place have cause for gratitude. In nearly all the larger places great mortality seems to prevail among the children, while here they are as well as at any other period in the year. For instance, in Lewisburg, last week, eight children died in a single day.

The *Bellefonte Republican* is the only paper in the county that issues a paper every week, or fifty two times every year; yet we offer it to together with the Phil'a *Press*, the two papers, for the small sum of $1.50 per year.

—Rev. A. Stewart Hartman, who has been pastor of the Chambersburg Lutheran congregation for fourteen years past, has severed his connection there and accepted the position of Secretary for the Board of Home Missions at Baltimore. Rev. Hartman is an energetic worker, an able preacher and a very affable gentleman.

The price of the BELLEFONTE REPUBLICAN for one year is $1.50. The price of the Philadelphia *Press* for one year is $1.00. The price of the two papers is $2.50, but if you send us $1.50 in advance we will send you both papers for one year. "How ish dot mit high?"

—On Saturday evening four carrier pigeons from Philipsburg arrived, per Adams Express, with instructions for Charley Tripple to give them their freedom immediately on their arrival. He did so. They at first did not seem to care to fly, but when they once spread their wings to the air they took a course direct toward Philipsburg.

Barber (to first comer in hand): 'Shave, sir?' (To second customer): 'Take a chair, sir; I shall be disengaged immediately.' Smith (first comer, who has recognized in the glass opposite that it is that fellow Brown, his rival and enemy): 'Ya'as, I wish to be shaved, and —ah—then I should like my head washed—shampooed, y'know —and afterward my hair cut and—carefully curled!' (Tableaux.)—*Punch*.

—Two large stables at Logan, near Lewistown, burned on Monday.



AN EASTERN TALE.

A king once summoned his three sons,
And thus addressed the anxious ones:
"Go forth, my sons, through all the earth
And search for articles of worth;
Then he who brings the choicest thing,
Shall in my stead be crowned as king."

In one year's time again they meet,
And kneel before the sovereign's feet:
And as with gracious outstretched hand,
He welcomed home the youthful band,
He natural eagerness expressed,
To see the objects of their quest.
The first such lustrous pearls displays,
That every tongue is loud in praise.
So white, the snow-flakes on their way
Compared to them are dull and gray.
The next a diamond more pure,
And larger than the Koh-i-noor,
That shone with such a brilliant light,
The sunbeams, shamed, withdrew from sight.

'Twas hard to choose between the two,
The monarch knew not what to do.
The third is standing calmly there;
Now, with a half triumphant air
And smile of confidence and hope,
He shows a cake of Ivory Soap,
So peerless in its purity,
That dirt, alarmed, takes wings to fly.
The old king, as it meets his sight,
Grasps it, and cries in wild delight:
"No more confusion or dismay,
No more cold meals on washing day.
Subjects! my youngest son obey,
The Ivory Soap has won the day."

A WORD OF WARNING.

There are many white soaps, each represented to be "just as good as the 'Ivory';" they ARE NOT, but like all counterfeits, lack the peculiar and remarkable qualities of the genuine. Ask for "Ivory" Soap and insist upon getting it.

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The Golden Rule.

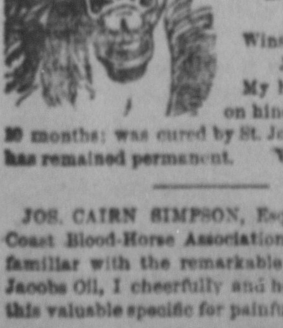
Two young lads left by one of the sea going steamers a few years back. They went to a country on the other side of the globe. From the one came home to his parents hardly ever a letter. Mail after mail came in but the letter the old people looked for from their boy never came. He forgot them or he forgot to care for them, or he did not take pains to think of them. The other lad never missed a mail. Week by week arrived a letter, an interesting letter, from him in which he told them all his state. That letter was a weekly joy in the family into which it came. You could see a smile go over the mother as she took it up, and said, "It is from Jack." "Ay, Jack had got the Golden Rule by heart. He had said to himself, "If I were at home and had a mother's or father's love for my boy, I should wish him to write to me." And just that was the difference between the two young lads I have introduced to you. The one obeyed, the other disregarded the Golden Rule.

When you buy a barrel of flour you want it at the lowest market price and when you buy a paper do you not also want that as low as possible? We make you the cheapest offer ever made in this county, viz. The *Republican* and Phil'a *Press* one year for $1.50.

"This world is pretty evenly divided after all," said the butcher, as he scraped away at his block. "How?" "Lady in the diamonds and sealskin gets out of her carriage and comes in here and asks for 'sassage.' 'Well, other folks have the money and us butchers have the eddecashun. Makes me feel more content."—*Detroit Free Press.*

We are selling dollar bills now for fifty cents cash on sight. That is, we are giving the *Republican* and *Phil'a Press* for fifty two weeks in a year for the small sum of $1.50. Either paper is worth twice the money.

HORSE AILMENTS.



Neponset, Ill., May 29, 1888.
My mare caught cold; result: swelled limbs; lump between fore-legs and inflammation. Cured her with St. Jacobs Oil.
L. O. GARDNER.

Winsboro, Tex., June 20, 1888.
My horse was hurt on hind leg; suffered 10 months; was cured by St. Jacobs Oil; cure has remained permanent.
W. J. CLINE.

JOS. CAIRN SIMPSON, Esq., Sec. Pacific Coast Blood-Horse Association, says: "Being familiar with the remarkable efficacy of St. Jacobs Oil, I cheerfully and heartily indorse this valuable specific for painful ailments."

Hon. ODEN BOWIE, Ex-Governor of Maryland, Jockey Club, Prest. City Pass. Railway Co., says: "In my family and my stables I have used St. Jacobs Oil with satisfactory results, and believe it the best remedy for the painful ailments of man and beast."

AT DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS.
THE CHARLES A. VOGELER CO., Baltimore, Md.

A PICNIC.

For years the grangers of the State have held a monster picnic at Williams' Grove, Cumberland Co., Pa., and as the customers of the Eureka Grocery store, as well as the Eureka man, are interested in everything that is going on in this world of ours—science, religion, politics, railroads in Africa, trusts wherever organized, and they always array themselves on one side or the other, so also they are interested in picnics, churches, secret societies or farmers all the same. We have a finger in every pie and we try to pull out a plum if we can, especially our man Smith, he is always mad if he gets a pie that he cannot extract a plum from.

Now commencing Aug. 26, 1889, and continuing for one whole week, the Grangers of the State will congregate at Williams' Grove and picnic, and many others, for this affair has grown to be of such public importance that many besides the Eureka store customers will no doubt be interested in all the particulars, railroad fare, etc. I, as the Eureka man, therefore, lay before you the following particulars.

Grangers sixteenth annual interestate picnic exhibition at Williams' Grove, Cumberland Co., Pa., thirteen miles southwest of Harrisburg, on the Dillsburg Branch of the Cumberland Valley Railroad, commencing Monday, August 26th, and continuing six full days. Over 200.000 practical farmers representing not less than thirty States, will attend this meeting. The display of Farm and Domestic Machinery and Implements, Agricultural and Horticultural Products and Fine Stock and Poultry, will be superior to any Exhibition ever held in the Middle States.

Prominent members of the Order of Patrons of Husbandry from all parts of the United States, leading Agriculturalists, eminent Statesmen, and Governors of States, will be in attendance. Lectures and Addresses will be delivered every day during the week. There will be good Restaurants on the grounds, and visitors will be entertained at very low rates.

Special large and fine Exhibits by the State Boards of Agriculture of Kansas, Nebraska, Oregon and California. Display of fire-works Friday evening. Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday Big Days. Electric Lights, Bands of Music. Every evening during the week there will be a Scioptican Exhibition of over 300 views of prominent features and interesting points on the Gettysburg Battlefield. Daily Excursion Trains will leave the Grove for Gettysburg, returning same evening. Fare for round trip $1.00.

A large baggage room has been erected on the grounds, where visitors can leave all kinds of packages with perfect safety, at moderate rates.

RAILROAD ARRANGEMENTS!

Excursions Tickets at two-thirds rates will be sold on Orders at all points on the Pennsylvania Railroad, including the New York Division, United Railroads of New Jersey Division, Philadelphia and Erie Division, Frederick Division, Northern Central, Baltimore and Potomac and their branches, good to go to Williams' Grove, from Thursday, August 22d, to Friday, August 30th, inclusive, and to return until Wednesday, Sep. 4th. To procure orders for fourteen days' excursion tickets, write to R. H. Thomas, Mechanicsburg, Pa., enclosing stamp to pay return postage.

VERY LOW EIGHT DAYS' EXCURSION—Without Card Orders

On Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, and 30th, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell Excursion tickets at all principal stations on its main line and branches, to Williams' Grove and return, from Bryn Mawr and East Liberty, inclusive; and from principal stations on Northern Central Railway and branches, from Lutherville, Canandaigua, inclusive; on the Philadelphia and Erie, at all principal stations on main line and branches, from Sunbury to Lock Haven, inclusive; and all principal stations on Frederick Division at rate of single fare for the round trip, good to return until Monday, September 2d. Excursion rates will be as follows:

FROM		FARE
Bellefonte	Via Lock Haven,	$4 89
Bellefonte	Via Tyrone,	5 00
Bellefonte	Via L. & T. Branch,	4 34
Phillipsburg, Pa,		4 70
Clearfield,		5 21
Curwensville,		5 40
Altoona,		4 42

Remember that no admission fee is charged to the Grounds, and this low fare carries you from your station to Williams' Grove and return.

Now if you go to this picnic remember when you come back to come to the Eureka Grocery store, High St., next door to Post-Office, Bellefonte, Pa., and get your groceries. It is the best and cheapest place in the world, and if you do not go come to the Eureka all the same, it will do you good.

By the way, Smith is a great farmer. We always turn over agricultural journals to him. What he don't know about farming has not up to the present date in the world's history ever been found out.

See advertisement of combination made with the *Cosmopolitan*, in which we offer the beautiful magazine and the REPUBLICAN, both together, for the low price of $2.45. The magazine is one of the best published in the world, any of our subscribers or others who would like to see it call at our office in Bellefonte and we will show them a sample. To the intelligent reader this combination offers at a remarkably low price two valuable works. Try it; you will not regret it. Send us $2.45 and get the magazine and paper.

BROWN—"I tell you, Smith, this telephone business is a wonderful thing. I want you to dine with me this evening, and I will notify Mrs. Brown to expect you. [Speaking through the telephone]—'My friend, Smith, will dine with us this evening." Now listen and hear how distinctly her reply will come back." Mrs. Brown [with startling distinctness]—"Ask your friend, Smith, if he thinks we keep a hotel."

Rival Cities—Chicago lawyer: "And gentlemen of the jury, remember you can't take this poor man's life, without reducing the population of our mighty metropolis, an act of which I am sure such patriotic citizens as yourselves will never be guilty while Brooklyn puts in her absurd claims to being the third great city in the country."—*Epoch*.

Uncle Jack, who is short-sighted, returns from a long walk, and, being somewhat thirsty, drinks from a tumbler he finds on the table. Enter his little niece Allie, who instantly sets up a yell of despair. Uncle Jack: "What's the matter Allie?" Allie (weeping) "You've drinked up my equarium and swallowed my three tadpoles!"

SULPHUR BITTERS

The Greatest Blood Purifier KNOWN.

This Great German Medicine is the cheapest and best. 128 doses of SULPHUR BITTERS for $1.00, less than one cent a dose. It will cure the worst cases of skin disease, from a common pimple on the face to that awful disease Scrofula. SULPHUR BITTERS is the best medicine to use in all cases of such stubborn and deep seated diseases. Do not ever take BLUE PILLS or mercury, they are deadly. Place your trust in SULPHUR BITTERS, the purest and best medicine ever made.

Don't Wait!

Your Kidneys are out of order. Use SULPHUR BITTERS. If you are sick, no matter what ails you, use Sulphur Bitters!

Is your Tongue Coated with a yellow sticky substance? Is your breath foul and offensive? Your stomach is out of order. Use SULPHUR BITTERS immediately.

Don't wait until you are unable to walk, or are flat on your back, but get some at once, it will cure you. Sulphur Bitters is The Invalid's Friend.

Is your Urine thick, ropy, cloudy, or high-colored?

The young, the aged and tottering are soon made well by its use. Remember what you read here, it may save your life, it has saved hundreds. Don't wait until to-morrow,

Try a Bottle To-day!

Are you low-spirited and weak, or suffering from the excesses of youth? If so, SULPHUR BITTERS will cure you.

Send 3 2-cent stamps to A. P. Ordway & Co., Boston, Mass., for best medical work published.

ALL FOR PLEASURE.

Where Mirth and Music Held High Festival Friday Night.

AN ANNIVERSARY FAREWELL.

The Double Object of a Successful Social Event in Milesburg.

There is more in the meaning of the first title of this brief notice than is at first apparent. The social event which gave it the name was held on Friday evening at Milesburg and had two objects in view. It was an anniversary and a farewell. It was the 27th birthday anniversary of Mrs. Calvin Zimmerman at whose home it took place and her numerous and admiring young friends designed it to celebrate that occasion, and it was intended as a farewell to Miss Minnie Swiers, of Pittsburg. That young lady has been spending the summer in Milesburg and to-day she goes away. So she was the special guest of the evening.

Knowing that an evening of rare pleasure was in store for them the young people went at an early hour, laden with baskets and bundles of delicacies of all descriptions. In some way Mrs. Zimmerman had learned of the visit and was prepared for them. She, too, had refreshments ready for the event. There was just a little vexation that she should have discovered what was intended as a surprise, but her always gracious, pleasing manner dispelled every disappointment and she was indeed that typical hostess who is the soul and inspiration of every such occasion. The enjoyment was even greater than was anticipated. The young ladies who were present were Miss Snellsauer, of Pittsburg; and Miss Minnie Swiers, Misses Bertha Swyers, Iva Thomas Claudia Smith, Mary Smith, Blanche Stonerode, Florence Orris, Ida Orris and Beckie Charles, of Milesburg. The young gentlemen were A. E. Kreamer, R. H. Smith, C. W. Smith, H. I. Bouse, Boyd Stonerode, W. H. Smith and Will Greene.

The refreshments were greatly enjoyed and the pleasures were continued until about 11.15 p. m. It was almost too early an hour and the young people wished that time would turn backward just for that night, and that midnight would delay its coming. But time is inexorable and they separated, bidding one another a regretful farewell.

A SUCCESSFUL "FETE CHAMPETRE."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCoy deserve special mention and credit for their very successful *fete* of Friday evening. All who had the pleasure of being present pronounce it one of the most agreeable and successful entertainments of the kind that our town has been favored with. The ladies unite in saying that it was without stiffness, without reserve, and everything in admirable taste.

The guests began to assemble soon after 5 o'clock and the dancing began about half past 7. An orchestra of stringed instruments furnished music which was the delight of all who participated in the dance. The lawn was decorated with flowers and the porches with beautiful and handsome ladies. About two hundred guests were present. We extend our congratulations to the host and hostess.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE PARTY.

Mr. Frank Campbell, of Lamb street, this place, was born on the 9th of August, 1854. Friday evening a number of his friends went to his house laden with edibles and presents to surprise him on the 35th birthday anniversary. They did surprise him, too; and it was some time before he realized that what he saw before him was reality and fact. Among the gifts was a handsome rocking chair. This was carried by Banker John P. Harris, and almost everyone mistook him for the dashing representative of some large furniture manufactory. Mr. Speer accompanied him, carrying bananas and salt and he used the salt plentifully on his fruit at the table. The other most noticeable one in the procession was Mr. Joe Fox. He carried a handsome lamp, just like the foolish virgins who forgot to supply their luminary with oil. Mrs Campbell had known of the affair and also made excellent preparations. The occasion was enjoyable and none had a happier time over it than our friend, Mr. David Glenn, whose birthday anniversary it also happened to be. So he shared with Mr. Campbell, the host, in the congratulations extended. The occasion was successful and pleasant.

THE HAY FEVER SEASON.

July, August, September.

"At this season, when life offers the greatest attractions and the most delightful resources to persons whose soundness of body permits out-of-door exercise and amusements, multitudes are debarred from the joys of the summer by hay fever, one of the most exasperating, wearisome, and depressing ills to which humanity is subject—obscure, inexplicable, descending on a given date like an invisible blow of fate. The sufferers from hay fever have looked in vain for any trustworthy remedy. Many of them, however, have looked in vain because they have been ignorant of Ely's Cream Balm, an admirable remedy for hay fever in all its forms. Agreeable in the use, entirely devoid of any unpleasant after-effects, this Cream Balm quickly allays inflammation and secures that relief for which the sufferer has longed in vain."—From *The Christian Union*, N. Y. City, July 18, 1889.

—Francis Speer, the junior preacher in the Methodist circuit, says that he will never have anything to do with the phonograph. It has such a habit of repeating what it hears that it might hear all about his most recent love affair and then tell it to his next girl and that would prove disastrous in the extreme.

Idleness is a Dangerous Fault.

In the kidneys. When inactive they speedily fall into disrepair. Those obstinate and fatal maladies, Bright's disease and diabetes, ensue with terrible certainty upon the inaction of the organs affected. Catarrh of the bladder, enuresis, gravel and strangury are also to be apprehended from a partial paralysis of the bladder, of which weakness and sluggishness are the cause. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is a fine tonic and promoter of activity for the renal organs, and one which can be relied upon to afford them the requisite stimulus without exciting them—an effect to be feared from the unmedicated alcoholic excitant of commerce. A further beneficent effect of the Bitters, by renewing activity of the kidneys, is to enable them to drain from the blood in its passage through them, impurities productive of rheumatism and dropsy. Nervousness, fever and ague, constipation and dyspepsia are conquered by the Bitters.

—The victims of "Hay Fever" who annually congregate in Bethlehem, in the White Mountains, derive some consolation from the alleged fact that the malady attacks only those who are troubled with a superfluity of brain matter. Such is the opinion of Prof. Lockwood, President, and Judge Fay, a former President of the Hay Fever Association, which will hold its next annual session at Bethlehem on 27th of September. The disease while very distressing has never been known to prove fatal, the sufferers generally living to a ripe old age. Judge Emory Speer, of Chambersburg, has been afflicted since his 23rd year, and it comes on him regularly on the 21st of August. It is generally admitted that hay fever is a nervous disease, an abnormal condition of the nerves, a neurosis occuring in persons of a peculiar idiosyncrasy. Its cause is generally ascribed to vegetable pollen. Judge Speer says that when passing a fodder field his sufferings were intensified, and the rag weed had the same effect, but when the wind blew from across the ocean all the symtoms disappeared. Mrs. Metson, the vocalist, who has been a victim for twenty-three years, thinks it ought to be called the fruit fever, it being caused and aggravated by fruit in her case. The only sure way of escaping the disease seems to be flight to some place of exemption.

To Our Neighbors.

The question is often asked by our neighbors, "Where I wonder, can I get a pure stimulant?" It is a fact that there is scarcely a roof under which you can not find a stimulant of some kind. Old people prolong life with it; sick people have it to sustain life; well people may and do use it to make life more enjoyable, but where will we advise our readers to buy it? We learn from the most reliable source that Max Klein is one of the most popular and respected citizens of this country. At his home his word is taken unhesitatingly. To him we can cheerfully recommend our readers for anything in the liquor line. He authorizes us to say that for $1.00 you can buy one quart of six year old rye, or six quarts for $5.00. His "Silver Age" at $1.50 per quart is without doubt the best whiskey know. Send for price list and complete catalogue. His address is, Max Klein, 82 Federal St., Allegheny, Pa.

—The Tyrone *Herald* says of the sudden death of Henry S. Frank, of Philadelphia: "Henry S. Frank, a member of the mining firm of Berwind, White & Co., died suddenly of heart trouble at his home in Philadelphia last evening. Mr Frank and his wife had recently spent two weeks at Bedford Springs, and on Tuesday were in Tyrone as guests of Messrs. Herman, Mrs. Frank being a sister of Mrs. Henry Herman, of this place. On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Frank returned to their home in Philadelphia, and only this morning the news of the gentleman's death reached Tyrone. The deceased was aged about forty-nine years. He was universally liked and respected for his many good qualities, and the mining industry of this region loses one of its ablest operators."

English Spavin Liniment removes all Hard, Soft or Callonsed Lumps and Blemishes from horses, Blood Spavin, Curbs, Splints, Sweeney, Ring-Bone, Stifles, Sprains, all Swollen Throats, Coughs, Etc. Save $50 by use of one bottle. Warranted. Sold by F. Potts Green, Druggist Bellefonte 21-1-1y

—A bad wreck occurred on the Western New York and Pennsylvania road Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in front of the depot at Eldred, McKean county. The construction train had backed up to the depot loaded with Italians and steel rails. In a few moments a long freight train that was due came thundering along, and before the breaks could be set it crashed into the construction train. Rails and cars were twisted in all shapes. Two of the cars were thrown in such a manner as to demolish the front of the depot. Three Italians—Antonio Kiterno, Corand Dolanno and Franc Calio—were crushed in the debris. The former had both legs crushed, and will die.

—Fair Luna is full.

—Corn is "in the soup."

—The oat crop is being gathered in.

—Wilkesbarre is to have a handsome new Y. M. C. A. building.

—Homer Vaughn, editor and proprietor of the Sunday *Graphic-News* of Altoona, died in that city on Thursday.

Slang Phrases that are not Inelegant.

There are two words, usually denominated slang and much used, that are not inelegant either in sound or origin. The word "chestnuts" is one of these. Its origin is not positively known, and only two probable sources are given. One is that some shrewd wit, seeing an analogy between the propensity of a joke to become stale and flat quickly and the chestnut to become wormy in a few days, applied the word chestnut to a joke when repeated too often and palmed off as new on a company which had heard it so frequently as to become bored. Another theory of its origin is that a threatrical party traveling on a train and trying to beguile the weary hours by reading and telling stories, bought a lot of chestnuts at a station to help pass the time. A member of the company proposed that they tell stories; and that whoever told a story which had been told recently should be pelted with chestnuts. A little bell in the party was to be rung whenever a stale joke was perpetrated, as a signal that all were to fling a chestnut at the offender.

"You are a daisy." is considered very slangy by those who use it indiscriminately: and, oftentimes, it is. But, if used in the sense in which its inventor, if we may so speak of a word, Charles Dickens, intended it, it is a good and forcible word. In "David Copperfield" it is first used in the sense of calling a person a daisy in a way to express admiration, and, at the same time to laugh at one's credulity. Steerforth says to young Copperfield: "David, my daisy, you are so innocent of the world. Let me call you my daisy, as it is so refreshing to find one in these corrupt days so innocent and unsophisticated. My dear Copperfield, the daisies of the field are not fresher than you." Hence, when conveying the idea that a person is artless and innocent amid a skeptical and scheming condition of society, to say "You are a daisy" is not slang. It is forcible and elegant. The same passage gave us the other word, meaning the same thing though sounding a little harsher, 'fresh., We often hear the expression, 'You're too fresh.' This, too, was originally meant by Dickens to be innocence of the ways of the world. It was so used by Steerforth in reference to David Copperfield. But when used to mean that a person is impudent or forward, as is too frequent the case now, it becames slang, as such a meaning is in reality senseless.

A New Swindle

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—A berry picker usually gets what he can and often cans what he gets.

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HENRY KLINE BOYER.

Sketch of the Republican Candidate for State Treasurer—His Record and Brilliant Career.

Henry Kline Boyer was born in Evansburg, Montgomery county, seven miles Northwest of Norristown, on November 19th, 1850. His father, Ephraim C. Boyer, and his mother, Rebecca Kline, are living. They are descendants of Pennsylvania Germans. The son attended the village public school, generally adding to the Winter's course there six or eight weeks in Spring at Freeland Seminary, now Ursinus College, in the village of Freeland, now Collegeville. The last year, 1865-6, he went continously to the seminary. That was the last of his schooling. In the Fall of 1866 he started to earn his own living—a matter of necessity. During the winter of 1866 and 1877 he taught public school in his native county, and in February of the next year he became a teacher of the English branches in an academy at Tioga, Philadelphia. In the fall of 1868 he taught school at Whitemarsh, and shortly afterwards became a teacher in the Twenty-third Ward, Philadelphia. Thence he went to Camden, New Jersey, in the Fall of 1869, in his twentieth year was principal of the Kaighn's Point Boy's Grammar school, which position he held for three years. He resigned it to study law under the late Benjamin Harris Brewster.

He was admitted to the Philadelphia Bar in 1874. His practice has been almost exclusively in the civil courts. He always voted the Republican ticket, but took no active part in politics until the spring of 1882, when, about ten days prior to the election of delegates to the State Convention, he was persuaded to attend a meeting held to prepare for the election. So interested was he by the discussion that he announced himself a candidate for delegate. He had no political friends, and his declaration came too late to get the necessary support. He was defeated, but not discouraged, and the ward leaders, Isreal W. Durham and Samuel F. Houseman, soon perceived his ability and helped him. The three have been friends ever since. Messrs. Durham and Houseman are among the most loyal adherants of James McMeans, and Mr. Boyer has the friendship of Mr. McMeans, as well as of Senator Quay and the latter's lieutenants.

Mr. Boyer was nominated and elected by a large majority to the House of Representatives of 1883. He was re-elected to the House of 1885, and was proposed for the Speakership, but withdrew in favor of James L. Graham, of Allegheny. In 1886 he was urged to be a candidate for the Senate, but declined, and was re-elected to the House in 1887, and chosen its Speaker, having no opposition in his own party. He was re-elected Speaker of the House of 1889, having received the unanimous vote of the Republican caucus, and the Democratic members voted to make his election unanimous, thus attesting to his first great fairness and popularity. He is the first to succeed himself as Speaker under the new constitution, and the fifth to be thus honored in the history of the Commonwealth.

In the legislature he has made his mark by work rather than by talk, but, when occasion requires, he can make a good speech gracefully. In presiding he displays extensive knowledge, and is firm and quick. His reputation for fairness as Speaker, spread throughout the State by his fellow legislators, has done much to bring to him his present good fortune. He is unmarried.

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—Vacation days are fleeting.

ADDITIONAL LOCAL NEWS

—When the maid dons a muslin gown,
And the dog has a muzzle on, too,
'Tis then we sigh to get out of town
And down by the ocean blue.

—Picnics.

—Moonlight.

—Candidates are numerous.

—Flowers are blooming luxuriantly.

—The apple dumpling is being dumpled.

—Camp meetings will soon be in lossom.

Mr. John T Johnston came home from Harrisburg on Friday.

—August meteors are said to be due from the 10th to the 15th.

—A headless ghost pays regular visits to Mapleton, Huntingdon county.

—About two billion postage stamps are used in the United States annually.

—No better candidate for prothonotary can be found than W I Fleming of this place

—It is next May, not next week, when the Grand Commandery, K. T., meets in Lock Haven.

—The Democrats have decided to hold a state convention in Harrisburg on September 4.

—Farmers say that so much wet weather will cause a scarcity of Thanksgiving turkeys.

—A rattlesnake is a glass covered box at Charley Ryan's cigar store is interesting to small boys.

—Charley Garner is cultivating great quantities of celery, which he will Garner in due season.

—Hoover, Hughes & Co., of Philipsburg, have received another contract to erect one hundred more dwelling houses at Johnstown.

—J. H. Reiley, of Tyrone, has an addition to his menagerie in the shape of an eagle which was sent to him by Engineer Pownell, of Snow Shoe.

—The Clearfield county commissioners will issue $80,000 worth of four per cent. bonds to raise money to replace bridges washed away by the recent flood.

—The blooming golden rod indicates the approach of fall.—Lewistown *Democrat and Sentinel*. Yes, the fall of the fellow who climbs the mountain to get some for his girl.

—Mr. F W Crider has received truly enormous paving stones, 6 by 8 feet in size, with which he will lay a new pavement in front of his business block, Crider's Exchange.

—The mail train on the Bald Eagle Valley made a fast run on Saturday last. The run from Beech Creek to Mill Hall, a distance of six miles, it is said, was made in five minutes.

—Hon. W. K. Alexander and family, of Millheim, are going to Denver, Colorado, to live. The change is with the hope of improving the health of Mr. Alexander's invalid daughter.

—A telegram was received in Bellefonte on Thursday announcing the death of Mr. Harry Frank of Philadelphia. He was a prominent business man. His death occurred in Philadelphia. He was very well known here.

—The Lock Haven Board of Trade is making desperate exertions to procure new industries in that city and is meeting with success. The Bellefonte Board of Trade—oh, well, if there is such an institution in existence it keeps well secluded.

—An exchange says that if farmers and stock raisers who have wire fences on their farms will take a small wire, say No. 8, and twist around each wire of the fence once and run down a part into the ground every quarter of a mile the lightning will never kill any stock near the fence nor destroy any posts.

—Our friend Arthur J. Brown is no sooner out of one business than he plunges headlong into another. This is the way now. He just left the radiator manufactory and now he is beginning to operate the iron ore mines on Barney Wagner's farm near Centre Hall. Arthur is uniformly successful in his business ventures,

—We are glad to note that Mr. G. Guyer Mattern, of Patton township, is a candidate for the nomination for Prothonotary on the Republican ticket. There is no more popular, energetic or brighter citizen in Centre county than Mr. Mattern and if the party favors him with the nomination that position on the ticket will be well filled.

—A camp of the Patriotic Order Sons of America is to be organized at Lewistown in the near future. This has been a very prosperous year for the Order. There are now 450 camps in the State, 98 of which were organized since last September. 327 show a gain of 9,641 members; 89 show a loss of 1,000 members, the balance show neither loss nor gain, having a clean gain of 8'641 members.

—Some Lutheran congregation seems always to be after the ministerial and pastoral services of Rev. Mr. Fisher, pastor of the church of that denomination in Centre Hall. But the talented divine has thus far refused all of their flattering calls and remains with his Centre Hall people, where he is doing so much good. The Lutheran congregation at Bloomsburg is the one now bidding for him.

A RAILROAD DEAL.

RUMOR THAT THE VANDERBILTS NOW OWN THE ENTIRE BEECH CREEK RAILROAD.

"It is true the Vanderbilts have bought up all the Beech Creek Railroad stock," said one of the original subscribers to the Beech Creek syndicate yesterday. "I don't know what they wanted it for except for the reason that it is a good property and is making a large amount of money, and they wanted it all for themselves. The price was $40 and $20 a share, and as I made a profit on the transaction I concluded to let it go. All the stockholders accepted the terms offered except a few who have not attended to the matter."

"How about the Beech Creek Coal Co.?"

"Oh the Vanderbilts haven't got that yet. Those bonds were thrown in with the railroad stock as a bonus anyhow."

VANDERBILTS ON DECK.

It is learned that even the closest friends of the Vanderbilts have been asked to sell. Such trusted henchmen as George J. Magee and C J Langdon, who are intimately connected with the interests of the Vanderbilt family and who have been from the beginning and still are connected with the Beech Creek enterprise have sold their stock. No one but a Vanderbilt is wanted as a stockholder. By their purchase the Vanderbilts have put the Beech Creek in the same position that the South Penn is in. To all intents and purposes both companies are owned bodily by the Vanderbilt family. Thus late in the day the children of William H Vanderbilt are carrying out the deal made by their father with the Pennsylvania Railroad just four years ago.

The capital stock of the Beech Creek Company is $1,300,000 of preferred shares and $3,700,000 of common. The Vanderbilts owned about 55 per cent. of both classes and they have paid about $1,000,000 in cash for the holdings of the minority stockholders. C. J. Langdon disbursed the money to the Pennsylvania holders.

The effect of the transfer is not pleasant to business men. One operator who ships largely over the Beech Creek Road said yesterday that he has orders on his books for two month's production, and is getting more orders every day, but the railroad officials will not furnish him enough cars to fill even the most pressing demands. All along the line the same complaint is heard and the suspicion is gaining ground that the scarcity of cars is due to the deliberate and intentional action of the railroad officials, who are, of course, prompted by the Vanderbilts. It is now believed that, as far as possibly can be done, the Vanderbilts will stifle competition with the Pennsylvania Railroad and Baltimore and Ohio coal, and will attempt to divert the tonnage of the Beech Creek Road to the Pine Creek and other Vanderbilt lines. There is a good market for soft coal along the New York Central Road, and by turning the traffic in that direction the whole receipts from the business will be kept in the family. All this is very fine for the Vanderbilts, but it is hard lines for the producers who have built up a trade in Eastern Pennsylvania and New Jersey and have no desire to move their headquarters to some interior New York town and build up a new trade there.

Where Railroad Companies are Responsible.

The Supreme Court, in two recent decisions, has held railroad companies in heavy damages for not warning their passengers against getting off their trains when the latter stopped between stations. Within a dozen years or so the laudable custom has grown up of notifying passengers what the next stop or station will be. With the introduction of the air-brake the brakeman has little to do and he profitably employs a portion of his abundant leisure in announcing the name of the next station, so that those having tickets for that point may be prepared to disembark promptly.

This is well, but it is attended with danger if the train is stopped from any cause before reaching the next station and no notice of that fact is given to the passengers. Because notice of such premature stops is not given, Mr. Edelstein obtained $1000 from the Reading Road. He was informed, as were all others in the car, that the next stop would be Jenkintown, but the next stop was not Jenkintown; it was on a bridge, and Mr. Edelstein, thinking the station had been reached, stepped off in the darkness and was severely injured. Mr. McCormick, riding at night on a train which ran from Philadelphia to West Chester, heard the official announcement that the next stop would be Waws, but in this case also it stopped on a bridge, no warning was given and the passenger attempting to alight fell through the bridge and was killed, and his personal representatives recovered damages, which the Supreme Court confirms.

In spite of these two costly examples, the railroad companies still fail to warn the passengers that the next stop announced has not been reached when the train stops between stations. Cautious passengers will keep their seats until the announcement is made that the station is reached, but nervous passengers and those unfamiliar with the road and fearful of being carried past their destination are always liable to get off between stations and at a point of danger if no caution is given when the train varies from the announced schedule and stops where there is no station at all.

How Hon. H. K. Boyer was Nominated for State Treasurer.

We gave an outline of the proceedings of the Republican State Convention at Harrisburg in Wednesday's DAILY NEWS. When the time came for the placing of the name of a candidate for State Treasurer in nomination, Senator Boies Penrose, in a speech in which he sketched the political career of his candidate and eulogized his Republicanism, named Hon. Henry K. Boyer, of Philadelphia. Mr. Creigh of Chester; Hon. E. A. Montooth, of Allegheny, seconded the nomination of Mr. Boyer in bright and eloquent speeches, Major Montooth pledging the full vote of the solid old county of Allegheny.

There was a great deal of cheering at one thing and another, and finally the delegates got on their feet and made the nomination by acclamation.

In a short time the committee appointed to conduct the candidate to the hall returned and the candidate flashed upon the convention. Mr. Boyer was loudly cheered, and he made a neat speech of thanks, in which he said this was the third time in Harrisburg that he had been honored with a unanimous nomination—twice for Speaker of the House and the present for State Treasurer. He said the platform suited him and promised to do his duty faithfully.

There was more cheering, and then the convention, having nothing more to do, adjourned sine die.

Value of Presence of Mind.

The great benefit of presence of mind in emergencies was demonstrated on Tuesday night when lightning struck the residence of John Ardell, Jr., and it was set on fire. Miss Rose Flynn, the domestic, was the most thoughtful and the quickest person to act about the house at the time. She saved valuable time by going at once to the stable for the hose, attaching them to the hydrant and pouring water on the fire. To be sure, the others, among them Mr. John Derstine, an experienced carpenter, was the best judge of just where the fire was burning in the walls, and he gave information where the fire might be, and by quick efforts the flames were put out. But for the prompt work of Miss Flynn, however, the fire might have mounted into the French roof, in which event it would have been obstinate and difficult to fight.

HISTORICAL.

The most recent of the biographical annals of deceased residents of the West Branch Valley, which we have seen, is that of Hon. William Wilson, who was born in the northern part of Ireland and came to this country when quite young. He was the grandfather of Mrs. John B. Linn of this place, who owns a fine oil portrait of him. He was First Lieutenant when serving in the battle of Monmouth, June 22, 1778. In a hand to hand conflict he got possession of the stand of colors belonging to the Royal Grenadiers. That stand of colors is now in possession of some of his relatives living here.

Letter List.

List of unclaimed letters remaining in the post office at Bellefonte, Centre county, Penna., August 5, 1889.

Miss Jennie Alexander, H J Bailey, Harry Crirpin, Mrs. J A Cunningham, Mike Cormore, Miss Mary Kreps, Dr. Roller, Miss Emma B Riley, Miss Gertie Swabb, S C Stewart, Mrs. Tillie Woods.

Persons inquiring for letters named in the above list will please say advertised.

JAS. H. DOBBINS, P. M.

—William I. Swoope, Esq. Bellefonte's new attorney, is an excellent elocutionist and has often been called upon to give entertainments of Shakespearean and other recitations. He can give about sixty choice selections. It is likely that he will be called upon sometime in the near future to entertain a Bellefonte audience in the interest of and for the financial benefit of some religious or other organization.

—Boys and young men should be careful of their actions, because often they are watched when they least suspect. For instance, we heard this morning of a young man who is considered respectable, whose actions, nevertheless, imply that he is a thief. The person who saw him refrains from exposing him, but he will be an object of suspicion.

—The ladies of the W C T U are again arranging for a Star entertainment course for next winter. They will make it even larger, better and more entertaining than the one last winter. We hear that one of the attractions will be Keller, the magician, whose fame is world-wide and who, in the magic art, has no equal.

—SENATOR H. B. PACKER, of Bellefonte, was at the Hepburn House yesterday, on his way to the convention at Harrisburg.—Williamsport *Gazette and Bulletin*.

Oh, come now; we have more than the usual number of Governors, Generals and Senators in Bellefonte, but Senator H. B. Packer is not of the number.

—A man who joined the Oklahoma boomers has written home to McKean county saying, "Offer a premium at your county fare for the biggest fool in the country, and I'll try to get there in time to take it."

Notice to Former Members of the 45th Regiment, P V V.

Last fall, on "Grand Army day," a number of comrades of the 45th P. V. V were appointed to solicit money for the purpose of helping to erect a monument to Major General Reno on South Mountain, on the ground on which he was killed September 14, 1862.

The amount agreed upon to be raised by the survivors in Centre county is $25. Will the collectors please attend to the matter at once and send the money to the undersigned.

Any persons formerly members of any other regiment in the 9th corps, who live in Centre county, can send in their contributions and such contributions will be credited to the regiment represented.

The monument will be unveiled and dedicated September 14, at which time it is hoped all survivors of the different regiments accompanping the corps will be present.

The G A R encampment will be held September 7th to 13th and as the dedication will take place the same week very many can attend the encampment and go thence to South Mountain. The distance from Gettysburg is not great. Full particulars as to rates and routes will be published later.

There are very few regiments of the corps able to place a monument to mark their position in the field, and the next best thing that can be done is to contribute to the Reno monument, which will mark the advanced position on that day.

H H BENNER, Bellefonte.

Hits This Community.

The following very sensible words are taken from the Altoona *Tribune* and are very applicable in all places: "The amount of time which busy people are forced to lose through lack of punctuality upon the part of those with whom they have business to transact is simply appalling. It is quite a customary thing to call a meeting for 7.30 p. m. with no intention upon the part of those calling it to begin business or even to put in an appearance before eight. Two or three busy men who are obliged to attend some meeting attend promptly at the hour indicated, only to waste a half hour of precious time in waiting for delinquents.

This a great wrong. Everybody should cultivate the habit of punctuality, not only because it is a good thing in itself but also because it is a wrong to waste the time of others. Those having charge of public meetings or other gatherings can confer no greater boon upon busy people than by attending promptly and beginning business at the hour designated. By no other method can the laggards be cured.

Change of an Important Business.

In the recent business changes in our town the transfer of the important and extensive coal, lime, grain, etc., business from the hands of Mr. Lawrence L. Brown into the control of Mr. Edward Rhoads is indeed a notable one. It takes place on the 12th of this month.

In referring to this we feel like saying a word of praise to Mr. Brown. He is a gentleman of business ability and we were always well pleased with every business transaction in which he was concerned. We wish him success in whatever he hereafter gives his attention and energies.

Mr. Edward Rhoads has been Mr. Brown's confidential clerk. He is a young gentleman of superior business talents. He is devoted to his work, has discretion and pluck and we have no doubt that he will be successful. We wish him the prosperity we are sure he so much deserves.

Home from Johnstown.

Mr. G. Guyer Mattern, who has been in Johnstown since the 19th of June, is at home again. All of that time he has been engaged in the commissary department. The way he was put to work by Col. Spangler is somewhat amusing. He went to Johnstown on an excursion ticket on June 19 and on alighting from the train the first person he saw whom he knew was Mr. Spangler. Shaking hands with that gentleman he was immediately put to work. Having finished the duties at first assigned him, he went to Col. Spangler and said, "Well, I guess I must leave you now, Jack; as I am traveling on an excursion ticket." "No, no; stay here;" returned Col. Spangler; "I want you." Next day the Colonel put Guyer in command of one of the commissary departments and there he remained until last week.

Death of Master Thomas McAllister.

On Thursday afternoon the news was received here that Master Thomas McAllister, son of John Toner McAllister, had died at his father's home in Sandy Ridge. His death was sudden. He had been ill with scarlet rash and had gone in swimming too soon, which caused an illness that terminated in death. He was the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. McAllister. Friday morning the remains were brought here accompanied by the funeral party and the funeral took place at 2 o'clock that afternoon from the residence of Mr. Frank Baney, on Quaker Hill.

—Jupiter is the only planet which will be visible during the whole of the evening hours throughout August. It is still in the constellation of the Scorpion, and, save the moon, is by far the most conspicuous orb which will be seen at any time during the hours of darkness in August except Venus, which does not come in view until midnight. In the early evening twilight Jupiter may be seen low in the southeast, and during the greater part of the remainder of the night it is in plain view, setting in the southeast about the same time that Venus rises in the east.

—Here is one from Blair county: Some young ladies were out after berries and sat down in the shade of a tree to rest, when one of them observed what she supposed to be a black and withered limb on the tree under which they were reposing. On closer observation, however, the terrified girls discovered it was a blacksnake of monstrous size and proportions, which had curled his tail around the body of the tree and was only extending his head that he might observe the contents of the lunch baskets. A young gentleman approaching the retreat of the horrified maidens, produced a pocket pistol and succeeded in destroying the monster, a dissection of which showed that he had swallowed a copperhead and a rattlesnake, both of which were alive. The latter had twenty three rattles. The destroyed reptile was thirteen feet long. The brand of whiskey used by the young gentleman is unknown.

Sudden Death of Mr. John Kline, of Milesburg.

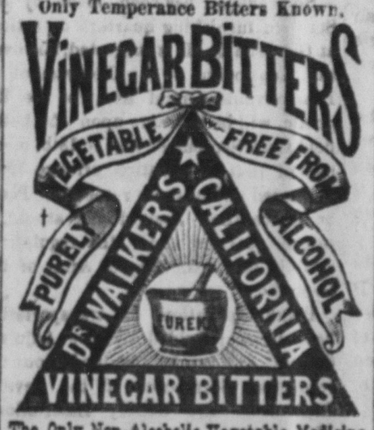
At McCoy & Linn's iron works John Kline, an employe, was at work as usual, on Thursday, apparently quite well. Weary and overheated, he sat for a moment on a wheel barrow when he suddenly fell to the ground, a corpse. The physicians say his death was caused by heart disease. Mr. Kline leaves a wife and a large family to mourn his sudden death. His age was 56 years, one month and eight days.

—A gentleman at the Bush House on Friday had in his possession a graphophone and a phonograph which he exhibited. The latter rendered in good style a musical composition consisting of cornet and full orchestra, which was very pleasing in its natural and perfect repetition of the original performance.

—Although this has been a wet season, yet it is a noticeable fact that every church and Sunday-school picnic has been favored with favorable weather.

—Now, in those fly-time days, the cow,
That is quite worldly wise
Will wade into the shady brook
With water to her eyes.
All day there she'll chew her cud,
From care and trouble free,
Remarking as she flings the mud,
"There are no flies on me."

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It is always safe to take at any time, or under any condition of the system, for old or young or for either sex. It is put up in two styles. The old is slightly bitter, and is the stronger in cathartic effect. The new style is very pleasant to the taste and a perfect medicine for delicate women or children. Each kind is distinctly marked on top of cartoon.

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RAILROADS

BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—TIME Table, May 13, 1889.

STATIONS	Dis	WESTWARD A.M	A.M	P.M
LOCK HAVEN		4 40	9 15	4 20
Flemington—f	1.8	4 43	9 19	4 23
Mill Hall	3.0	4 46	9 22	4 26
Beech Creek	8.3	4 56	9 34	4 33
Eagleville—f	9.9	4 59	9 37	4 40
Howard	14.5	5 07	9 48	4 49
Mt. Eagle—f	17.7	5 14	9 56	4 55
Curtin	19.9	5 18	10 01	5 02
Milesburg	23.5	5 25	10 12	5 10
BELLEFONTE	26.2	5 35	10 25	5 20
Milesburg	23.5	5 45	10 35	5 30
Snow Shoe Int	24.8	5 48	10 38	5 33
Unionville	28.5	5 55	10 48	5 41
Julian	32.9	6 05	10 59	5 50
Martha	37.9	6 12	11 09	5 59
Port Matilda	40.4	6 21	11 17	6 06
Hannah—f	43.7	6 28	11 26	6 13
Fowler—f	45.0	6 30	11 29	6 15
Dix—f	46.3	6 33	11 32	6 19
Bald Eagle	49.3	6 40	11 38	6 25
Vail	51.2	6 44	11 43	6 29
East Tyrone	53.0	6 48	11 48	6 33
TYRONE	54.3	6 55	11 55	6 40

STATIONS	Dis	EASTWARD A.M	P.M	P.M
TYRONE		8 10	3 10	7 15
East Tyrone	1.3	8 17	3 17	7 22
Vail	3.1	8 20	3 20	7 28
Bald Eagle	5.0	8 25	3 24	7 33
Dix—f	8.9	8 30	3 30	7 39
Fowler—f	9.3	8 32	3 33	7 42
Hannah—f	10.6	8 36	3 37	7 46
Port Matilda	12.9	8 43	3 44	7 55
Martha	17.3	8 51	3 52	8 05
Julian	21.4	8 59	4 01	8 15
Unionville	25.8	9 10	4 10	8 25
Snow Shoe Int	29.5	9 15	4 15	8 35
Milesburg	30.8	9 22	4 20	8 39
BELLEFONTE	33.5	9 32	4 30	8 49
Milesburg	30.8	9 47	4 40	9 01
Curtin	34.4	10 01	4 47	9 11
Mt Eagle—f	36.6	10 06	4 55	9 17
Howard	39.8	10 16	5 02	9 27
Eagleville—f	44.4	10 30	5 10	9 40
Beech Creek	46.0	10 35	5 18	9 45
Mill Hall	51.3	10 50	5 24	10 01
Flemington	52.5	10 54	5 27	10 05
LOCK HAVEN	54.3	11 00	5 30	10 10

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE RAILROAD Time Table in effect May 13th, 1889.

Westward Dis.	P.M	A.M	Stations	Dis.	Eastward A.M	P.M
0	2 55	7 30	SCOTIA	25.6	6 45	2 55
3	3 55	7 51	5.8 Fairbrook	20.3	6 22	2 35
4	4 05	8 05	8.7 Penns. Furnace	16.9	6 08	2 22
4	4 15	8 13	10.6 Hostler f	15.0	6 00	2 12
4	4 30	8 21	12.3 Marengo f	13.3	5 53	2 02
4	4 36	8 26	13.5 Loveville f	12.1	5 46	1 56
4	4 45	8 36	15.2 Furnace Road f	10.4	5 41	1 49
4	4 50	8 41	15.8 Dungarvin f	9.8	5 37	1 45
5	5 00	8 51	18.2 Warriors Mark	7.4	5 29	1 39
5	5 15	9 05	20.5 Pennington	5.1	5 20	1 30
5	5 25	9 15	22.5 Stover	2.1	5 08	1 18
5	5 40	9 25	25.6 TYRONE		5 00	1 10

BELLEFONTE & SNOW SHOE RAILROAD.—Time Table, May 13, 1889.

Leaves Snow Shoe at 6.45 a m; arrives at Bellefonte at 8.45 a m.

Leaves Bellefonte at 10.25 a m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 11.16 a m.

Leaves Snow Shoe at 4.00 p m; arrives at Bellefonte at 5.50 p m.

Leaves Bellefonte at 8.05 p m; arrives at Snow Shoe at 10.00 p m.

S S BLAIR, General Supt.

LEWISBURG AND TYRONE R. R.—BELLEFONTE, NITTANY AND LEMONT R. R. To take effect May 13th, 1889.

Dis.	Westward a.m.	p.m.		Eastward a.m.	a.m.	p.m.
0	5.50	2.06	MONTANDON	5.30	9.10	5.45
1.5	6.15	2.15	Ar. LEWISBURG Lv	5.20	9.00	5.35
1.5	6.15	2.15	Lv. LEWISBURG Ar		9.00	5.35
5.4	6.24	2.26	Biehl f		8.51	5.26
6.8	6.30	2.32	Vicksburg f		8.45	5.20
10.7	6.41	2.43	MIFFLINBURG		8.35	5.08
13.1	6.48	2.50	Barber f		8.29	5.01
15.2	6.54	2.55	Swengle f		8.24	4.56
16.1	6.56	2.58	Millmont		8.22	4.53
18.6	7.05	3.06	LAURELTON		8.13	4.43
23.5	7.12	3.20	Pardee f		8.01	4.30
28.9	7.36	3.33	Cherry Run f		7.48	4.16
32.2	7.40	3.44	Paddy Mt. Tunnel f		7.40	4.08
33.9	7.45	3.48	Ingleby f		7.36	3.57
36.6	7.52	3.55	Coburn		7.27	3.55
39.5	7.58	4.04	Zerby f		7.19	3.45
43.4	8.10	4.13	Rising Springs		7.10	3.35
46.2	8.18	4.21	Penn's Cave f		7.00	3.27
49.2	8.25	4.28	CENTRE HALL		6.52	3.20
51.8	8.33	4.35	Gregg f		6.43	3.13
54.6	8.42	4.43	Linden Hall		6.36	3.05
56.7	8.48	4.48	OAK HALL		6.30	2.59
58.3	8.53	4.52	LEMONT		6.25	2.55
60.2	8.59	4.57	Dale Summit f		6.20	2.50
63.9	9.09	5.06	Pleasant Gap f		6.10	2.40
65.2	9.14	5.10	Axeman f		6.04	2.34
67.4	9.20	5.15	BELLEFONTE		6.00	2.30

CHAS E. PUGH, General Manager
ROBERT NEILSON, General Superintendent
E. B. WESTFALL, Superintendent

BELLEFONTE AND BUFFALO RUN RAILROAD.—On and after Wednesday, August 7, 1889 Trains on the Bellefonte and Buffalo Run Railroad will run as follows, leaving the PENN'A RAILROAD STATION.

EASTWARD No.6 P.M	No.2 A.M	Dis.	STATIONS	Dis.	WESTWARD No.1 A.M	No.5 P.M
6 20	9 10	18.	Ar. BELLEFONTE. Lv	0.	6 00	3 15
6 13	9 03	17.	Scales	1.	6 07	3 23
6 08	8 59	16.	Morris	2.	6 11	3 27
6 03	8 54	15.	Whitmer	4.	6 16	3 33
5 59	8 51		Lins		6 19	3 37
5 57	8 48	12.5	Hunters	5.5	6 22	3 40
5 53	8 44	11.2	Filmore	6.8	9 26	3 44
5 47	8 40	9.5	Briarly	8.5	6 32	3 50
5 43	8 36	8.	Waddles	10.	6 38	3 55
	8 29		Matterns			4 00
	8 25		Stormstown			4 06
	8 15		Red Bank			4 16
5 39	7 39	6.9	Scotia Crossing	11.1	6 46	4 51
5 24	7 25	2.	Krumride	16.	7 00	5 05
5 20	7 20	0.	Lv STATE COLLEGE Ar	18.	7 04	5 09

Trains will stop at stations marked "P" when signal is given or notice to Conductor.

Train 2 connects with Trains east and west on B E V R R and S S Branch.

Train 6 connects with Trains east on B E V R R and the S S Branch.

THOS. A. SHOEMAKER, Supt.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD.—(Philadelphia and Erie Division.)—On and after May 13th, 1889.

		WESTWARD		
ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia daily		11 25	p m
"	"	Harrisburg	3 30	a m
"	"	Williamsport	7 10	a m
"	"	Jersey Shore	7 35	a m
"	"	Lock Haven	7 58	a m
"	"	Renovo	8 50	a m
"	arrives Erie		4 00	p m
NIAGRA EXP. leaves	Phil'a week days		8 50	a m
"	"	Harrisburg	12 15	p m
"	arrives at	Williamsport	3 05	p m
"	"	Lock Haven	4 15	p m
"	"	Renovo	5 15	p m
"	"	Kane	9 10	p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at			5 20	p m
FAST LINE leaves	Philada. week days		11 56	a m
"	"	Harrisburg	3 45	p m
"	"	Williamsport	7 10	p m
"	arrives at	Lock Haven	7 57	p m
"	"	Renovo	8 50	p m
SUNDAY MAIL leaves	Phila.		4 30	a m
"	"	Harrisburg	8 10	a m
"	"	Williamsport	11 10	a m
"	"	Lock Haven	12 10	a m
	EASTWARD.			
Sea Shore EXP. leaves	L. Haven w. d		7 00	a m
"	"	Jersey Shore	7 25	a m
"	"	Williamsport	8 15	a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	11 30	a m
"	"	Philadelphia	3 15	p m
DAY EXP.	leaves Kane week days		6 25	a m
"	"	Renovo	10 20	a m
"	"	Lock Haven	11 15	a m
"	"	Williamsport	12 20	p m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 15	p m
"	"	Philadelphia	6 40	p m
ERIE MAIL	leaves Erie daily		3 00	p m
"	"	Renovo	10 30	p m
"	"	Lock Haven	11 25	p m
"	"	Williamsport	12 25	a m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	3 22	a m
"	"	Philadelphia	6 50	a m
RENOVO ACN	leaves Renovo w. d		4 35	p m
"	arrives at	Harrisburg	9 45	p m
"	"	Philadelphia	4 25	a m

Erie Mail West, Niagara Express West, and Day Express East make close connection at Lock Haven with B. E. V. R. R. trains.

Erie Mail East and West connect at Erie with train on L S & M S R R at Corry with B P & W N Y at Emporium with S, N Y & P R R, and at Driftwood with A V R R.

ROBERT NEILSON, Gen'l Sup't

Bellefonte Republican,

EDWARD T. TUTEN, - - Editor

Local Department.

The baggage smasher merrily
Now tosses travelers' trunks;
He cachinnates with ghoulish glee,
And breaks them into chunks.
But some fine morn this soulless fiend
Will skyward take his flight.
For he will monkey with a trunk
That's filled with dynamite.

—A summer cold is difficult to cure.

—The mail train was one hour late Monday evening.

—Altoona is organizing a branch of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Try a drink of Bedford water which is always kept fresh and pure at the Eureka Grocery Store.

—Republicans of Fulton county nominated E D Aikens for treasurer and Dr. A B Dalbery for coroner.

—The Lock Haven *Express* imagines that there was frost some place in that county on Monday morning.

—Joseph Bros. already have a very large store room, but they have in view a project to still further enlarge it.

If you want a drink which is fresh, pure and healthful, buy a bottle of Bedford Mineral Water at the Eureka store.

—George Vaughan, of Sandy Ridge, this county, is a relative of Homer Vanghan, the editor who died recently in Altoona.

Fresh supplies of the refreshing and invigorating Bedford water received at the Eureka Grocery Store every day. For sale by the bottle.

—The pride of Allensville, Mifflin county, is an onion raised by Grandmother Lytle which measures 11½ inches in circumference.

—The number of survivors of the 148th regiment is reported to be increasing wonderfully fast. Look out for about 1500 of them at Gettysburg.

—Dr. VanTries is finishing and painting the stone front of his residence on Spring street and the result will be to make it look new and handsome.

—An exchange says that the Pennsylvania Railroad Company is experimenting with a new system of signals to take the place of the block signals now in use.

—Philipsburg can challenge the State for female beauty.—*Daily Journal*. But Philipsburg will fall far behind when in competition with the beautiful young ladies of Bellefonte.

—Edward T. Tuten has been appointed agent for Centre Co., for the sale of Bedford Springs Mineral Water. It can now be had by the case, dozen or single bottle at the Eureka Grocery Co., High St., Bellefonte, Pa.

—The railroad bridge crossing the river at the lower end of Williamsport gave way Monday morning while a train of loaded coal cars was passing over it and fourteen cars were precipitated into the river. No one was injured.

—Some merchants say that farmers do not read advertisements but they do. If you want to find this out just advertise some of your staple wares at one half of their real value and see how soon you will have customers from among the intelligent reading farmers.

—The Toledo *Blade* is now publishing a novel written by its former editor, Mr. Locke ("Nasby,") now deceased. We have seen it stated that some people pronounce it "the great American novel." While it is quite readible, we think that such language entirely overrates it.

—On Monday Mr. Ed. Rhoads assumed control of his new business—formerly L L Brown's coal, lime and grain trade, which he purchased from that gentleman. We congratulate him on the fact that his entrance into active business affairs is so auspicious and we wish him success.

—We have had to say time and time again—Hurry up at Johnstown. Why are not the cellars cleaned out? Why, in brief, is not all the cleansing work done rapidly and energetically? The money is at hand, the men can be procured, and the Nation expects it to be done without delay.

—A lad by the name of John Devan, while picking "huckleberries" near Uniontown a few days ago, was treed by a rattlesnake, which coiled itself at the foot of that tree and contentedly awaited the boy's descent. His outcries attracted some persons to the spot, and the reptile was killed.

—Squire William Thompson, of College township, is a candidate for the Republican nomination for Associate Judge. The Squire is a prominent and representative citizen. He is squarely, fairly and uncompromisingly a temperance Republican and would certainly make a most excellent and winning candidate for the party.

—We note that the citizens of Hollidaysburg have become impressed with the importance of their town and its advantages for business, and at a mass meeting of citizens they have organized a board of trade. We wish it well. But we had once a board of trade. It was little and it was young, and alas it took sick and died. Omit flowers, please.

FOUND THE BODY.

After Twenty-three years Rest in Union Cemetery.

OTHER NOTES AND NOTIONS FOR OUR READERS.

Since early last week Mrs. Dr. Codwise, of Wellesley, Mass., has been in Bellefonte, accompanied by her son, G. A. P. Codwise, Esq., who is a counsellor and attorney at law in Boston. Their mission was to search for and take with them to their New England home, for burial there, the body of a daughter of Mrs. Codwise, who was buried here twenty-three yeags ago. In 1866 Mrs. Codwise, now a widow, was here with her husband, when their daughter, Miss Ida, became ill and died. The desire to have all the family buried together was the cause for the present search. They were successful and the remains are being shipped to-day to Massachusetts where they will rest with those of relatives.

Dr. E W Hale informs us that it was a misapprehension on our part that his new building is yet rented to anyone. Who will occupy it is a question for the future to determine.

Young Master Mitchell, a son of Mr. Wm. Mitchell, brought "ye editor" a bucket of fine blackberries this morning. They are beauties and our thanks will be due the gatherer of them whenever we eat blackberry jam next winter.

EXCURSION TO NITTANY'S TOP.

On Monday evening two large parties of young people went to the top of Nittany mountain. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Wistar Norris and had a very pleasant trip and a delightful time while there. They started about 4 o'clock and returned by moonlight.

A "BAD" MAN.

If the story we hear that a resident of Port Matilda recently twice whipped his daughter in a cruel way, be true, than that man is very bad and himself deserves punishment.

Arrangements for Gettysburg.

Adjutant General Hastings sends us another communication relative to the visit of the soldiers to Gettysburg and the free transportation for those who participated in the battle of Gettysburg. Among the items which we have not yet published are these:

This transportation will allow the holder the privilege of remaining at Gettysburg not less than one week, and of stopping off at any station en route. Members of the Grand Army of the Republic entitled to transportation, who desire, can have their transportation cover the period of the annual encampment; that is, from September 5th to September 16th.

No provision has been made by the State for furnishing quarters or rations at Gettysburg. It is suggested, however, that inasmuch as the Department of Pennsylyania, Grand Army of the Republic, will be in camp upon the battle field from September 7th to 13th, members of that organization arrange to be quartered with their respective Posts, or, where their Posts do not attend, to secure quarters under the regulations established by the Grand Army of the Republic.

Blank applications for transportation have been provided by the Adjutant General, and can be obtained from the respective Secretaries of the several Regimental and Battery Associations. Where it is inconvenient to apply to these officers, application may be made to the undersigned, at Harrisburg, Pa.

D. H. HASTINGS, Adjutant General.

Death of a Priest.

On the first day of this month a death occurred at St. Mary's College, in North Carolina, which has local interest, but which we did not notice before, because we heard of it only on Monday. Rev. Father Frederick Hazel, O. S. B., was a son of Mr. John Hazel, who lives near this place. He was a strong, robust young man and was educated for a Catholic priest. Fourteen years ago he said his first mass in the church here on Christmas morning, 1875. He was located at Benedict's College, Newark, where he remained until quite recently. His health failing, he went to Florida, to recuperate. Then returning to St. Mary's College, he remained until his death occurred at the time above stated. He frequently visited here and is well known in Bellefonte.

By the way, how many priests of this church seem to have emanated from this county. Quite frequently we notice their names and find they are either natives of Centre county or else are related to some of our prominent people. We regret to hear of Rev. Father Frederick Hazel's death and condole with his relatives here in their loss.

—The building of the new bridge across the Susquehanna, at Karthaus, was awarded to the Pittsburg Bridge Co., the two boards of commissioners having met at Clearfield with the view of finishing the work commenced here last week. We failed to learn the exact figures, but the bid of the Pittsburg was thirty eight dollars less than any other. —*Philipsburg Ledger.*

—Two deaths occurred in one family in Philipsburg last week. On Wednesday the nine months old child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McCaulley died, the funeral taking place on Friday afternoon. A horse attached to the vehicle immediately behind their own became uncontrollable as the cortege was entering the cemetery gate. Mr. McCaulley advised his wife not to be afraid, but he himself fell forward and never spoke afterward.

Mr. John Sourbeck's new Enterprise.

Mr. John Sourbeck will give the people of Bellefonte a very delightful treat in a few days. He will probably begin on Saturday of this week. He purposes to put on Spring creek a handsome swan boat, the kind he saw in use in the lakes of Central Park, New York, and Fairmount Park, Philadelphia, when in those two cities last week. He says that Spring creek is admirably adapted for the purpose, much better than the lakes he has seen elsewhere, as the course is longer and better. The boat, which is a beautiful vessel, has been shipped and will be received by Mr. Sourbeck in a few days. He expects to have it in running order by Saturday. Its advantages are thus described:

"For ladies and children they are indispesnable, having been adopted in all of the large cities, on their park lakes, where they are considered one of the most beautiful features. Being made of iron, double hull, water and air tight compartment containing eighty-eight cubic feet of air, make them a perfect life boat, securely fastened together with wroug t iron braces, covered over all with a light cedar deck on which are from two to four comfortable Vienna settees, surrounded by a guard rail attached to four awning stanchions, making a perfect enclosure and supporting a beautiful canopy, under which you enjoy a cool sa l around the lake, without smoke, steam or oscillation, as comfortable as in your own parlor, ostensibly propelled by a beautiful white swan with a driver on his back, who really drives the boat with bicycle power, and who is helmsman as well, thereby having a responsible man continually in charge, which is a very desirable feature for parents who desire perfectly safe amusement for their children."

So boat rides over a splendid course and at very low rates will soon be the popular pleasure in Bellefonte. The boat will accommodate parties of eight or nine and we predict will be largely patronized.

Annual Organization of the Fire Department.

Tuesday night was the time appointed for the delegates of the several fire companies to meet in Borough Convention to elect a Fire Marshall and assistants. The council room in the Logan hose house was the place of meeting and the companies were represented as follows:

Logans—Wm Hillibish, George Fasig and James Seibert.

Undines—M. McCafferty; James Noon and M. Johnson.

Coronets Hook and Ladder Company—Wilbur Harris, George Bush and Ed. Garman.

On motion, Ed. Garman was made chairman of the convention and William Hillibish secretary. The Logans placed in nomination H D Yerger, the Undines named Col. Mullen and the Coronets named L T Munson. In the second ballot Mr. Munson was chosen and his election made unanimous.

For first assistant the names proposed were H D Yerger of the Logans and Al. Garman of the Undines. The former was elected and his election made unanimous.

John M Cunningham was the only person placed in nomination for second assistant and his election was by acclamation.

The business being concluded convention adjourned *sine die*.

—The Renovo and Lock Haven newspapers allude to it as somewhat remarkable that the barbers in those two places are keeping their establishments closed on Sunday. Here it is just the other way—a barber who kept open on Sunday would be an object of wonder and would be condemned. The excuse that workingmen have no time except Sunday to get shaved is nonsense. If they have to work such long hours in Renovo and Lock Haven they will do well to move to Bellefonte where employers will allow them a half hour in almost any of the twenty-four in which they can be shaved.

—It looks from the movement lately organized in Philadelphia as though the festive 'drummer' will in the near future become a thing of the past, and merchants will once more take their usual trips to the cities to select their goods. The tax paid yearly by consumers to keep up the salaries of commercial men is no small item in the purchase of goods. Many of these traveling men receive from $1,800 to $2,500 per year, and the consumer of the goods pays the bill. We hope the new move may prevail.

—Mr. Charles Courter, of Eagleville, has purchased the green grocery on High street recently owned by Mr. David I Parsons. Mr. Parson's ill health required him to give up the business. Mr. Courter is an excellent, enterprising young man and will conduct the business in a way to attract many patrons.

COUNTY DEMOCRACY.

Thos. F Riley, L A Schaffer, J C Meyer, Geo. D Johnson and Dr. J W Neff are the Nominees.

MUCH ABUSE OF REPUBLICANISM INDULGED IN

On Tuesday County Chairman Heinle called the Democratic County Convention to order, there being ninety-five delegates in attendance. Col. J L Spangler was elected chairman of the convention, and as he saw discouragement on the faces before him, he proceeded to make a speech which would inspire the delegates and the party.

He referred at length to Grover Cleveland, of New York, and paid that disappointed and defeated gentleman a glowing tribute. Then he remarked that people have no use for President Harrison. Hayes is forgotten, he said, but Robert E Pattison is worthy of praise: The best thing Cleveland did was to leave an issue—tax reform.

He stated that the predictions of Republican speakers previous to the Presidential election are being fulfilled. But Cleveland was not elected. In speaking of the American Congress, however (the one representing the three Americas) he attributed that measure to Cleveland, when in reality the idea and the preparatory work toward carrying it out were original with James G Blaine, the present Secretary of State. He hopes it will give this country a larger market. Mr. Spangler said that if he were given a certificate of election to the legislature he would not be a member of such a body. In this he differs from that other Democratic statesman, Hon. William A Wallace, who but recently said that it is the most useful position a man can fill.

Following this address, Gordon B Wyche, of Rush township, and James Swabb, of Harris township, were elected secretaries, and James Noll, of Spring township, reading clerk.

The committee of five appointed on resolutions were W F Reber, Samuel J Herring, J W Parker, Col. J F Weaver and J H Reifsnyder. They retired and, as time was pressing, the convention began the nomination of

ASSOCIATE JUDGE.

Thos. F Riley, of Boalsburg, and John F Heckman, of Gregg township, were named. The former received 57 votes, the latter 38 and Riley was declared the nominee. His nomination was made unanimous.

At this junction Mr. Reber read the resolutions which we will give a synopsis of further on.

PROTHONOTARY.

The venerable Bartrim Galbraith, of Bellefonte, nominated L. A. Schaeffer and another delegate performed the same duty for M. I. Gardner, of Howard. The rapid and smooth way in which the former sailed to a nomination reminded one of machine tactics. The vote was 80 to 15. But Mr. Gardner behaved like a man and said that he would still be a faithful member of the party and would support the nominee—Mr. L. A. Schaeffer.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

J. C. Meyer, Esq., had no opposition for this honor and was nominated by acclamation.

DELEGATES TO STATE CONVENTION.

For the convention of 1889 Mr. W F Reber was named as delegate, and five gentlemen—M I Gardner, of Howard; P Gray Meek, of Bellefonte; Henry Lehman, of Philipsburg; Wm. B. Mingle, of Centre Hall; Wm. Cramer, of Coburn—named as delegates to the State Convention of 1890.

SURVEYOR.

The two names announced for this nomination were Geo D Johnson of Mt. Eagle, and W M Grove. The former received 65 votes, the 36 and Mr. Johnson was declared the nominee.

CORONER.

For this office Dr. J W Neff, of Snow Shoe, had no opposition and was nominated unanimously.

COUNTY CHAIRMAN.

W. C. Heinle, Esq., was unanimously elected to succeed himself as chairman. He was also made a member of the State Committee.

THE PLATFORM,

We think, is quite weak. The first plank gives Grover Cleveland a quantity of taffy. The second reiterates the principles of the last Democratic National Convention. The third says that Harrison is hypocritical, because he misrepresents civil service reform and turns the rascals out. The party is declared to be opposed to combines and trusts, accuses the Republicans of double dealing in their relation to prohibition and concludes by inviting comparison between the respective administrations of Cleveland and Harrison. Still dispirited and with one Democrat in the rear voicing the opposition of scores of others to everything that was done, the convention adjourned.

—One of the most silly things indulged in by the Democratic convention on Tuesday was the attempt to compare Cleveland with Harrison. Benjamin Harrison is as much above Grover Cleveland in every way as the sun is above the earth. We have always had a very poor opinion of Cleveland and will be tempted to express it if the Democrats indulge in many such comparisons.

Personal Pencilings.

Harry Bush has returned from Johnstown.

Recorder Harter visited Philipsburg on Wednesday.

Will Marshall spent two days recently in Lock Haven.

Miss Mache Caldwell, of Tyrone, is a vistor in this place.

Mr. James P. Irwin, of Snow Shoe, spent Thursday in Bellefonte.

H C Moore of this place, is visiting his son W H Moore, in Tyrone.

Mrs. Reuben Valentine and daughters are visiting friends in Boston, Mass.

Dr. Joseph Brockerhoff is dispensing his popular presence with relatives here.

Miss Mollie Cook, of Philipsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Moore in Tyrone.

Miss Hattie Seymour, of Lock Haven is the guest of Miss Clara Anderson, of this place,

Col. D H Dunham, recently editor of the *Fountain*, spent Tuesday with friends in Howard.

Hon. T. P. Rynder and his son, Lee, made an excursion through Penns Valley on Wednesday.

Miss Amanda Tome and Mrs. C. E. Brown of Jersey Shore are guests at the residence of Mrs. D. G. Bush.

Hon. Samuel Reynolds, of Lancaster, is at present visiting his brother, Major Wm. F Reynolds, in this place.

Isaac Haupt says he has the champion snake story, but it will require several days for him to get it in shape.

Mr. Chas. Callaway is still at work at Johnstown, assisting Hoover, Hughes & Co., in their contract to erect houses.

Governor Beaver and General Hastings are attending military encampments, and on Wednesday were at Camp Hartranft, near Norristown.

On Wednesday Mr. Walter Graham entertained his sister, Miss Gertrude, and his brother Howard, of Philadelphia, who came to pay him a brief visit.

Mr. Jesse Cox, of this place, is quite ill and is confined to the house by his infirmity which is in the nature of rheumatism, and with which he suffers greatly.

Miss Annie Shaughensey, of Philadelphia, is a guest at the home of her uncle, Street Coommissioner Thomas Shaughensey. This is her first visit in Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Caraher, of East Tyrone, were in attendance at the funeral of the late John Kline, in Milesburg, on Sunday. The deceased was a brother-in-law of Mr. Caraher.

Mr. A. C. Moyer and family, recently of Sandy Ridge, have gone to Altoona where Mr. M. will hereafter be regularly connected in a business capacity with the Allegheny Fire Brick Works.

The gentleman who exhibited the phonograph and the graphophone at the Bush House on Friday was Prof. G. W. White, representing the Western Penn'a Phonograph Co. 146 Fifth avenue, Pittsburg.

Miss Sarah McNulty and Mr. Ed McNelty, of Jersey City, N. J., are guests at the residence of Mrs. Sally Kelly on Bishop street. They are most agreeable people and we hope they will enjoy their visit here.

Miss Jennie Boal who has been visiting friends in Tyrone for some time returned to her home at Centre Hall Saturday morning. She was accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. J. M. Harper, and cousin, Mrs. J. A. Atlee.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lane, Miss Mary Thomas and Miss Smith—the last-mentioned of Clearfield, who have been on that delightful trip, journeying on the Hudson and St. Lawrence rivers, arrived home this week. They enjoyed the trip very much.

Mrs. S. H. Dale, of Butler, Pa., who has been visiting friends and relatives in Lemont and Bellefonte for the past week, is at present at the home of S. W. Barr, where she will remain until tomorrow morning, when she will return to Butler.—Tyrone *Herald* of Thursday.

Miss Minnie Swiers, of Pittsburg, who has been spending several weeks in Milesburg, went to Altoona Friday. She will remain two weeks there, at the expiration of which she will be joined by Miss Bertha Swyers of Milesburg and the two young ladies will continue their journey to Pittsburg to spend most of the winter.

Prof. B M Campbell the young baritone virtuoso, who came to this place several weeks ago, is gaining a fine reputation as a band instructor. The Fillmore Band which Mr. Campbell is instructing has only received four lessons from him, and are now playing several fine pieces of music. They claim that under his directions they will soon be able to rank among the best bands in the county.

Rev. J. A. Bright, of Abilene, Kansas, just arrived home from Europe. He departed with his son, George, about the 19th of June and since then the two travelers have seen about as much of Europe as ever came under the inspection of travelers in so short a time. They visited England and Scotland; in Paris they visited the Exposition and, ascending the Eiffel tower, saw the city by night; their most enjoyable experience, however, was in climbing the Alps.

IN MEMORY OF JUDGE CUMMIN.

The Bar of Centre County Pays its Tribute to the Departed.

At a meeting of the members of the Bar of Centre county, held August 12, 1889, to take suitable action in reference to the death of Hon. Hugh H. Cummin, late President Judge of the 25th Judicial District, Hon. A. O. Furst was called to the chair and L. A. Schaefler, Esq., was elected as secretary.

On taking the chair, Judge Furst referred feelingly to the great loss the community had sustained in the death of Judge Cummin, and appointed a committee consisting of Hon John B Linn, John G Love and J L Spangler to prepare a suitable expression of sentiment. They reported the following

RESOLUTIONS.

1st, That we have heard with sincere regret of the death of Hon Hugh H Cummin, whom we had learned to respect and admire for his judicial ability, when called, as he frequently was, to preside over the courts of Centre county.

2d, That our Bar and we believe the people of Centre county recognized in his character the qualities of a good lawyer, a just Judge, a patriotic citizen and a good man; a character earned by laborious application to his public duties, deep learning, unsullied integrity, impartial administration of justice and his virtuous Christian life.

3d, That, having fallen by disease hastened by the discharge of onerous duties of benevolence at Johnstown, for the accomplishment of which duties he developed wonderful ability, pure and unselfish sentiments and thoughts controlled by the highest sense of personal obligation and responsibility; his well spent life should be followed not only by our reverence and affection, but also by the regret of the people of his native State.

4th. That copies of these proceedings be transmitted to the Bar of Lycoming county and the family of Judge Cummin, and that our Court be respectfully requested to enter a minute thereof among the records of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county.

Respectfully submitted,
JOHN B. LINN,
J. L. SPANGLER,
JNO. G. LOVE,
Committee.

Mrs. C. P. Hewes is at present visiting relatives in Erie.

H C Brew and family, of Tyrone, are listening to what the wild waves are saying at Atlantic City.

County Treasurer Goss with his family will soon depart for a sojourn down by the level of the sea at Atlantic City.

Rev. Mr. Beach, of Baltimore, arrived in Bellefonte on Saturday evening and is spending his vacation here. His family have been here for several weeks.

Mr. H T Lucas, of Howard, pleased us greatly on Monday with a call. He is one of the most prominent citizens of that place and a thorough Republican.

Mrs. R. J. Halderman, of Harrisburg, and her son, Donald C., and daughter, Eliza, are in Bellefonte, visiting the family of Hon John B Linn on Allegheny street.

We understand that Mr. Walter Lembkey expects to go to Washington, D. C., soon to fill a position in one of the departments. We shall be sorry to part with Walter.

Mr. R. H. Holz, of Joseph Brothers & Co's store, is at present at Bedford Springs. Mr. Holz is a clever, agreeable gentleman and will doubtless much enjoy himself at this popular resort.

Rev. David J. Beale, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Johnstown, preached twice in Bethlehem Presbyterian church, Philadelphia, on Sunday. The reverend gentleman, who is well known here, is now known by reputation throughout the Nation because of the brave part he acted after the flood in that city.

Serious Fire in Huntingdon.

About 7.30 o'clock on Monday evening flames were seen issuing from the machine shop of the Huntingdon car works and it was but a short time until all Huntingdon was aroused and battling bravely to save one of its most preminent and promising industries from annihilation. All efforts, however, were in vain, and it was but a comparatively short time until almost all of the valuable plant was a scene of ashes and ruin. The loss to the company will foot up about $40,000 and to this will be added the loss of the hands, almost all of whom lose tools chests filled with valuable tools. It is peculiarly unfortunate that this fire should have occurred at this time as the company was on the point of largely increasing the volume of its work and this disaster will badly interfere with its plans. The best information we have is to the effect that the company will immediately rebuild and largely increase the capacity of the works.

MARRIED.

WILSON—PRINGLE.—At the residence of W L Wilson, Stormstown, on August 1st, 1889, by Rev A Parker Wharton, Mr. Harry L Wilson and Miss Elsie Pringle, both of Altoona.

ZERBY—STOVER.—On the 1st instant, at the home of the bride's parents, by Rev. W. H. Stover, George H. Zerby, of Pine Grove, Schuylkill county, Pa., and Mollie J. Stover of Millheim.